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THE TRIBUNE'S DOUBLE EXTRA YESTERDAY. It Caught the Town.

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TWO MEN BREAK JAIL.

They Cut Their Way Out of Chief Lloyd's Prison.

POLICE ARE IN PURSUIT.

The Escapes Were Employed in the Kitchen Acting as Cooks.

A LIME WALL CUT AWAY.

They Worked From Day to Day and Put Debris in the Ash Barrel.

THE FLIGHT TO FREEDOM

Once in the Yard, They Scaled the Fence and Reached the Street.

Breakfast was not served at the Oakland city prison at the usual hour this morning. There was a clamor for coffee and bread that was unheeded by the jail cooks. The reason for the break in the monotony was very simple. The cooks were not at their accustomed place at the range, and the coffee boiler stood cold and clean; while the prison keepers sought to learn the reason for the delay.

They soon discovered that the two trusties who had served as chefs had fled during the stillness of the night. They had neatly dug their way out of the room and unceremoniously clambered over a couple of back fences to freedom.

Charles Reisart and Wm. Anderson, petit larceny thieves are the missing men, and their departure was so quietly taken that they successfully made their escape and have left a lot of policemen wondering where they are at.

The usual time for breakfast is 7 o'clock. Two hours before that matters began to stir in the kitchen, which is a small cubby hole off the main corridor, and over looking on one side is a yard that is reached from the jail by a door and flight of wooden steps, four in number. This enclosure is fenced on one side by a 16-foot tight board surface, studded with nails along the top.

This yard opens in one direction upon a second enclosure from which a door leads to the city corporation yard and junk shop, piled with assorted merchandise used by the street department. The police patrol wagon stable adjoins the inner yard to the north and projecting along the north side of the city, but shutting off view of the prison, the high board fence extends.

There was considerable risk attached to the escape over the fence that faces Fifteenth street, although the building occupied by the Board of Health forms a concealing wall for the immediate corner of the fence, and the side of the patrol wagon house, where the two prisoners made their escape, after cutting their way through the jail wall inside. The marks of footsteps show plainly where they landed outside the fence where the escaping prisoners doubled and started off towards Fifteenth street.

HOW THEY DID IT.

The methods by which the two escaped from the kitchen, where the rules of the prison require that they should be locked up at 5 o'clock each evening, is as follows: The two cooks sleep in the kitchen and are undisturbed until the morning hour, when they rise to prepare breakfast for their fellow-prisoners.

The pair had ample opportunity to make preparations for their escape. They found a vulnerable spot in the masonry that forms a portion of the foundation of the building.

Beneath a large copper cooking boiler in the kitchen is a space not more than 3x2 feet. This was found to be filled in between the granite with soft, crumbling, dusty lime. The cooks put their heads together and found that the mixture yielded readily to picking with a knife or hatchet.

By working the soft lime out in this fashion a space was left through which a small man might squeeze with considerable exertion. The hole led to the side of the stairway leading to the inner yard. The prisoners once in this yard had no difficulty in scaling the fence, notwithstanding the patrol wagon stable immediately adjoining, where a driver is on duty through the night. They did not arouse this officer, for nothing was known of the escape until night prison keeper Swain went to the kitchen to unlock the door, so that the cooks could begin to prepare the breakfast. Instead of finding his men, he discovered their absence and soon noticed where they had made their way out. Their refuse lime had been carefully concealed in an ash barrel in small quantities, so that no suspicion should be thrown upon them while they were boring their way out.

It is suspected they had been at work for some days, removing at night such a quantity of lime as they could and carefully concealing the aperture during the day time.

Both men are petit larceny thieves, serving terms of six months each. Anderson's time would not be completed until April 28th and Reisart had until May 11th to serve.

The escape was reported to Capt. Wilson this morning and he notified Chief Lloyd. Photographs and a description of the men were furnished all the officers and the detectives were ordered to make an immediate hunt for them.

AT MILPITAS TOO.

James Cooper and Frank Hayes Work Their Way to Liberty.

An epidemic of jail breaking has swept over the country. In addition to that at the city prison this morning, there was reported from Milpitas, the departing of James Cooper and Frank Hayes.

They worked their way out of the branch jail there and left no trail behind them.

PUPILS ENTERTAIN.

A Charming Celebration Held at the Harrison School.

The following excellent entertainment was given at Harrison school yesterday in commemoration of Washington's Birthday:

Song, "Welcome, Thou Festal Morn" ..... School
Song, "Washington" ..... School
Recitation, "I'm Wasumgton" ..... Tomasent
Recitation, by six little girls ..... First Grade
Class recitation, "The Youmth of Washington" ..... Fifth Grade
Song, "O, Have You Heard the Story Told" ..... Fifth and Fourth Grades
Recitation, George Rider, Willie Reynolds and Willie Bernhard.
Recitation, "What Did Washington Look Like" ..... Maud Lee
Song, "Union and Liberty" ..... Annie Welderman
Recitation, "My Country's Flag" ..... Harold Brown
Song, "God Bless the Soldier" ..... School
"Liberty Bells," seven girls, second and third grades.
Recitation, "Cherry Trees" ..... Nelson Norwood
Recitation, "My Here" ..... Rosie Pantoskey
Recitation ..... Bertha Heath
Concert Recitation, "Washington's Name" ..... Fourth Grade
Song, "Mt. Vernon Bells" ..... School
Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag, Fifth Grade.
Song, "I Am a True American" ..... School
"The Hatchet Story," seven boys ..... Second Grade
Recitation ..... Chas. Brennan
Recitation, "Johnny Speaks His Piece" ..... Henry Greenough
Flag Exercise, seven girls ..... Fourth Grade
The Story of the Flag ..... Fifth Grade
Recitation, "George Washington" ..... Maud Cohen
Song, "America" ..... School
Salute to the Flag ..... School
"Star Spangled Banner" ..... Fourth and Fifth Grades

LAYS FROM LOS ANGELES

A Jealous Contractor Attempts to Murder His Wife.

Wreck of the Riverside Local as It Came Into the City.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 22.—N. B. Foster, a contractor, attempted to kill his wife this morning.

He fired twice at her with a revolver. The first shot passed through her hand which she had raised to prevent his shooting.

The plucky woman grabbed the revolver and the second shot took off the forefinger of the left hand of her husband.

She threw the revolver through the window and fainted.

Citizens secured Foster while he was trying to regain the weapon.

Jealousy of his wife is said to have impelled Foster to the deed.

A TRAIN WRECKED.

A wreck occurred this morning on the Southern Pacific road at Nand's Junction near the Kuhrts street bridge.

A switchman threw the switch too soon and the Riverside local, carrying a large crowd of Masons and others to the city, was nearly derailed.

The last car was thrown into the switch and crashed into a freight engine, ripping the side out of the car.

The fireman of the switch engine was injured about the head and an unknown colored man had both legs cut off.

The passengers were all severely shaken up.

MASONS TURN OUT.

The Masonic parade and ceremonies attendant upon the laying of the corner stone of the new Masonic Temple on Hill street, was one of the most impressive and magnificent spectacles ever witnessed in this city.

Ten thousand people were in line in the parade.

Governor Budd, Grand Master Preston and many other notables were present and participated.

Grand Orator Bycknell made the principal address.

Masons from every part of the State were present.

The Duchess of Northumberland is the possessor of a shawl which was presented by King Charles X. of France and which cost 500,000 francs. It is manufactured from the fur of a species of Persian cat. The hair of this cat is so extremely fine and elastic that a single hair is scarcely perceptible to the naked eye.

"You," said the careworn individual, "are the man who told me the right way to succeed politically was to trust the people."

"I am," replied the theoretical philosopher.

"Well, I done it. And not one of 'em will pay up. And the sheriff's got my saloon. And I'm goin' to lick you."

And brute force once more triumphed over philosophy.—Indianapolis Journal.

Use Adam's Tutti-Frutti Chewing Gum.

Dyspepsia cured by using Adam's Tutti-Frutti Chewing Gum after each meal.

REFUSES THE BELT.

Fitzsimmons Talks in a Way That Makes Corbett Red-Hot.

HE WON'T FIGHT JIM.

The Californian, He Says, Must First Meet Peter Maher.

CORBETT ANSWERS HOTLY.

He Calls the Australian a Coward and Talks Gorily.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

EL PASO, Tex., Feb. 22.—An Associated Press representative had a talk with Fitzsimmons about the Corbett challenge on his way in from the battle ground this morning.

Fitz said: "I shall completely ignore that fellow Corbett.

"It was a thousand dollars American money to one cent Mexican coin that 'Pomp Jim' would do just as he has.

"I shall use about the same argument once employed by Charlie Mitchell: 'Tell him to go get a reputation.' Let him whip Peter Maher and Joe Choynski before he opens his head to me.

"Both men want to fight him and I think either of them can lick him.

"This much I shall insist upon. He must first win from Maher and Choynski before he gets into the ring with me.

"I whipped with ease the man Corbett presented the championship belt to, in order to escape a match with him.

"To show Corbett how little weight his championship present carries, I formally, through the Associated Press, renounce all claim to the belt and refuse to accept it.

"I am going to Madison Square Garden for the night of February 29th, with half a dozen contracts I made conditionally on winning from Maher, and then, with Julian, Stenzler, Roeber and my family, I sail for England."

Fitzsimmons was met by a monstrous crowd here, the train arriving at 9 A. M.

Fitzsimmons and Julian drove to the State National Bank, but found it closed, it being Washington's Birthday.

The bank officers were found and they turned over to Fitzsimmons the $10,000.

Dan Stuart asked: "Gentlemen, have I conducted this affair to please you?"

Julian and Fitzsimmons responded they were entirely satisfied and shook hand all around.

Julian handed the Associated Press representative the following:

"To the Public: We desire to thank the kind people of Juarez, Mexico, for the kind and courteous treatment of us during the time consumed in training for the fight just ended. We shall always bear pleasant remembrances of that place and its charming people from the Governor down to the humblest man. We shall try to square ourselves honorably with the Mexican government if they think we committed any wrong.

"(Signed)" BOB FITZSIMMONS,
MARTIN JULIAN."

Maher's backers are going to challenge Fitzsimmons for another battle of $5000 a side.

It is understood Julian will offer Maher inducements for a four round glove contest at Madison Square Garden at New York on the 29th.

HOW CORBETT TAKES IT.

CHICAGO, Feb. 22.—Corbett, when shown the Associated Press dispatch announcing Fitzsimmons' refusal to fight him, simply said:

"He is a big coward. I will leave it to the public to judge whether I am correct or not. I predicted he would not make a match with me if he won the fight with Maher but if he goes to England he will find me in England after him. He said after his fight with Maher he would fight any man in the world. He is now getting out of the country as fast as possible, bag and baggage."

A CHARMING CONCERT.

A Splendid Programme Being Given at Blair Park.

The following excellent programme is being rendered this afternoon at Blair Park by the Oakland Band of Soloists:

George H. Richardson, director.

PART I.

1—March, "King Cotton" ..... Sousa
2—Overture, "Fra Diavolo" ..... Auber
3—Caprice, "The Golden Blonde" ..... Ellenberg
(Solos for clarinets by Messrs. Ernst and Keogh.)
4—Grand Selection from "The Huguenots" ..... Meyerbeer
(Introducing all the principal melodies of Meyerbeer's greatest opera.)
5—Cornet solo "The Surf Polka" ..... Steinhauser
Performed by Mr. Herbert De Valle
6—Hunting scene (descriptive piece) ..... Bucalossi
(Probably the most realistic descriptive piece written illustrating an English hunting party—The morning breaks calm and peaceful—The huntsmen prepare for the chase—The mount—The bugle sounds a merry blast—The echo—The parties join in the chase—The road alive with horsemen—On the scent with barking of dogs and galloping of horses—shout and Tally-Ho—In full cry—The death—The return home.)
7—Grand march from Tanhauser ..... Wagner
8—Trombone solo, "Image of the Rose" ..... Hansen
Performed by Arthur S. Morey.
9—Concert Waltz, "Un Bal a la Cour" ..... Fahrbach
(Opening with the celebrated Flambeau March.)
10—Village Life in Ye Olden Time ..... Le Thiere
(Descriptive piece illustrating the daily life of the old Puritans—Night—Cock crow—Sunrise—Astir in the village—Song of children going to school—The blacksmith shop—The May queen—May pole dance—Curfew bell—Choral—The village choir—Moonlight and lovers' serenade—Grand finale.)
11—Medley Overture, "Last of the Hogans" ..... D. Braham
(Introducing Xylophone solo by Mr. Geo. Blake.)
12—Gallop from the opera of Orpheus and Euridyce ..... Offenbach

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MURDER AND SUICIDE.

A Double Tragedy During the Night in San Francisco.

MAY CONWAY IS SHOT DEAD.

John Dolan Killed Her and Then Ended His Own Existence.

MORTON STREET ONCE MORE.

The Girl Was Well Connected but Had Gone to the Dogs.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 22.—Another murder to which is added a suicide was discovered in the demi-monde section of Morton street.

At 12:30 Lena Raymond, a resident of that quarter, went to call on May Conway, another courtesan, to keep a breakfast engagement.

Her knocks brought no response and looking through the keyhole the Raymond woman could see the gas burning and also two bodies lying on the bed.

A policeman broke down the door.

The Conway woman was lying dead on the bed with a bullet through her left temple.

Across the dead body lay that of a young man also with a bullet through his head.

The man had a revolver with two empty chambers in his hand.

The wounds on both bodies were blackened with powder.

There was no doubt it was murder and suicide, committed by the man, who is a stranger to the women of the district.

Both bodies were nude.

The Conway woman was twenty years old, rather pretty and well known in the half world.

She is a niece of Mrs. Douglass, wife of the police officer of that name and is related to Officer Conway.

Her room was at 108½ Morton street and she rented it about two weeks ago.

The man who killed her was seen to enter her apartments at 8 o'clock last night.

He was afterwards identified as John Dolan. He was formerly a barkeeper in Tiburon.

Lost a Fine Pointer.

H. McCracken, the well known dog fancier of San Francisco, reported the loss of his valuable pointed Juno H., to the police this morning. The animal is valued at $150 and is one of the regular prize winners at bench shows.

"BILL" NYE IS DEAD.

The Great Humorist Succumbs to a Stroke of Paralysis.

His Untiring Labors Closed too Soon A Bright, Vigorous Career.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CHATTANOOGA, Feb. 22.—(Bulletin)—A special to the News from Asheville, N. C., says that "Bill" Nye died there this afternoon.

His wife, two sons and two neighbors were at the bedside when the end came.

Ten days ago he had a stroke of paralysis, much more severe than the one at Patterson, N. J., when the cruel story that he was drunk, was sent out.

DEATH CAME SUDDENLY.

Michael Callaghan Expires While Being Taken to the Hospital.

Michael Callaghan, a laborer aged about 55 years, died last evening in a wagon while being taken to the Receiving Hospital.

He was found at the corner of Twenty-sixth street and Telegraph avenue by a Chinaman and a white man. Callaghan was evidently in distress and at his request they secured a wagon from Sanborn's nursery to take him to his lodgings at 414 Sixth street.

When they arrived at the house, Mrs. Sullivan, the landlady, refused to let them bring him inside. He had only been roaming there four days and she suggested that he be taken to the Receiving Hospital. They drove around Franklin street but upon arriving at their destination found that Callaghan was dead.

The remains were taken to the morgue where an inquest will be held next Monday.

FOUND HIM GUILTY.

Tacoma's Defaulting Treasurer Must Pay the Penalty.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

TACOMA, Feb. 22.—After being out all night the jury this morning brought in a verdict of guilty against James W. McCauley, ex-City Treasurer, charged with using public money for personal gain.

Bail was refused and the prisoner remanded to the custody of the sheriff.

The jury first stood seven for conviction and five for acquittal.

A Felonious Assault.

Peter A. Hogan, of North Oakland sewer contractor, swore to a complaint before Judge Cliff yesterday afternoon charging Jacob Springer with an assault with a deadly weapon.

Springer keeps a saloon on Thirty-seventh street and San Pablo avenue and Hogan says that Springer struck him with a club and broke the wrist of his right arm.

Miss Smashum—I don't care for men; in fact, I've already said "no" to seven of them.

Miss Comely—Indeed! what were they selling?—Adams Freeman.

ARTHUR M'EWEN'S LETTER.

Rev. Dr. Brown Is Being Forced to Take Bitter Medicine by the Congregational Church Council.

HIS ARROGANCE IS MAKING A BAD IMPRESSION.

The General Feeling in the Community Is That He Should Be Convicted.

DRAIN OF THE RACE-TRACKS.

About Three Million Dollars a Year Extracted From the Community.

WHO SUPPLIES IT ALL?

Some Peculiar Results Are Coming From the Competition of the Newspapers.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 21.—Up to Tuesday last the expectation that Dr. Brown would be aquitted by his brother preachers was nearly as general as belief in his guilt. On Tuesday, however, the Council met, and since then opinion has changed. The course taken by this churchly court has awakened confidence in itself. It is sure that it has a desire to get at the truth, and that its view of the interests of the faith is not limited by the interests of Dr. Brown. That brother, whose nerve is more than human, is not running the Council. He set out to do it, but was brought up with a jerk that gave him the novel sensation of surprise. With perfect coolness, he had prepared to select the audience by issuing tickets, and it astonished him when that power was taken out of his meek hands. From that time on he has worn the air of the persecuted.

California's pulpit has so few preachers of note that the worldly, forming their judgment on the newspaper reports of Sunday sermons and Monday morning debates, take it for granted that the ministers are inferior as men. Because of this preconception, journalists, lawyers and other Gentiles who invaded the lecture room of the First Congregational Church on Tuesday expected to see on the broad platform a collection of weaklings with small foreheads and feeble chins. It is but the truth to say that the assembled Congregational preachers did honor to the cloth. They were really impressive as they sat there, a body of sedate, dignified and intelligent gentleman. It would not be easy to gather in San Francisco an equal number of any other profession who would make as good an impression, in point both of seeming mentality and character. I know that I had borne in upon me the belief that for the most part these men stood for good purposes. They compelled respect. And this respect grew when they spoke. Of course their calling makes them easy on their feet; nevertheless, when men can rise and argue and converse as unperturbedly before an audience as if they were in a private room, they convey to others not so qualified a sense of mental capacity. At the very least, the beholder and listener was convinced that Dr. Brown has to do with educated men.

The conditions were not the most favorable to dignity. In the first place, the matters with which the Council has to deal are scarcely of the kind that gentlemen care to discuss in public, and least of all, before women and the sisters, old and young—were present in force. In the second place, the floor immediately in front of the platform was semi-circled with a score of tables, at which reporters were seated—a modern challenge to the clergy and their high privilege of privacy in deliberation. It was like fighting before the kinetoscope.

The Council has had its reward for letting Dr. Brown understand his place and inviting the press and public to attend. The Court is treated with the utmost respect by the newspapers. Even the reporters, the most cynical of judges, believe that the accused will get a fair trial.

Smiles ripple over the faces at the newspaper tables frequently. They are evoked by the experiences of Dr. Brown with his judges. This is the same room he has been wont to marshal his partisans, bully his opponents and procure votes of confidence. Now he is off the platform, has no authority and finds himself forced to comprehend that he is on trial, and that it is expected of him that he shall be reasonably civil to men and women who are so daring as to disapprove of him. He has been sat upon often, and it goes against his arrogant stomach. From his manner of conducting his case, it is evident that nature intended the doctor for the bar rather than the pulpit. He has a hawk's eye for a technicality, and quibbles with an ardor that suggests the police court, which doubtless would have been his field of labor had he not been called to preach the gospel.

Dr. Brown makes a distinctly bad impression. He is callloused to a degree of insensibility which renders it difficult to figure him as an innocent man. While he is being discussed, while charges are spoken against him in his presence as disgraceful to him as burglary would be to a layman, he takes notes, smiles, leans back and consults with his attorney, or whispers with animation to Mattie Overman. It is as a contest that he views this whole foul business. Dr. McLean, the moderator, Dr. Moar, and the more elderly and distinguished among the clergymen on the platform, are visibly under an effort when they reply to questions from him. They are accustomed to intercourse with gentlemen, and even, if innocent, Dr. Brown cannot pretend to that rank. Were he not what he is—were he not shifty, cunning, overshrewd and shameless, but a man of gravity and feeling, capable of suffering under the defilement of false accusations—Miss Mattie Overman would very nearly serve to acquit him.

That young woman is certainly not lovely to the carnal eye. She is past 30, and her sandy hair, pale blue eyes, flat face, high cheek bones and blinking vivacity of expression would insure her against the pursuit of the villain elsewhere than in the tents of Zion.

How Dr. Brown can escape conviction, if his judges are as intelligent and conscientious as they look, it is not easy to see. The Overman letters and everything else aside, the confession of Mrs. Stockton to Mrs. Sarah B. Cooper, before witnesses, should be conclusive, unless Mrs. Stockton can be induced to recant. Everywhere I discover the same desire for a conviction as in the case of Durrant, and this jury is seemingly of a much higher grade than the one which did justice to the Emmanuel Church monster.

The San Francisco business man is a discouraged being. Hard times continue, in spite of the late Half-Million Club, the new Valley Railroad and the praiseworthy efforts of the newspaper band to play cheerful airs. The shopkeepers complain that there is no money in circulation. One of them, in discussing the situation with me, attributed the scarcity of cash to the races. It seemed absurd to me that a handful of horses should be held responsible for draining the coin of a city of three hundred thousand inhabitants, but this storekeeper, a man who owns a large retail establishment, insisted that it is so, and made out his case as is here set down.

We have two tracks, the Bay District and Ingleside. There are twenty licensed bookmakers, each of whom pays $100 a day for his privilege, and employs five men at $10—$3000. There are 312 racing days in the year—$936,000. That is what the bookmakers must take in to pay expenses. They dress well, live high and are prosperous. It is estimated that each of the twenty pockets about $50 a day—$312,000 a year, a grand annual total of $1,248,000 for the bookmaker item. The tracks maintain 700 horses, at $10 a week for each. This amounts to $364,000 a year. There are six races daily, in which fifty horses run, which means $500 for jockeys' wages, or $156,000 a year. The purses foot up $2000 a day, or $624,000 a year. The gate receipts supply the purses. There is a starter at $50 a day, and three judges at $500 a month each—$23,600 a year. Thus we have a grand total of $2,415,600. This does not of course include the winnings of the sporting men who maintain stables, nor the gains of the horde of professional gamblers, large and small, who haunt the tracks; nor the restaurants nor bars, nor the carriage hire and car fare. It is putting it low to say that these two race tracks extract annually from this community $3,000,000. Some of it gets back into circulation, naturally, but most of it is taken away. And this immense sum, equalling a tax of $10 per capita on the population of the city, is contributed by whom? Not by those best able to afford it, the business men, the men of means, for business men and men of fortune do not patronize the races and the pools in any considerable number.

The betting crowds are made up of clerks and other young men on salary, barbers, barkeepers, butchers, bakers, lawyers, reporters, doctors, and in general the hard-up class willing to take desperate chances to make a raise. Money that should be spent on the home or go into the savings bank is blown in at the races. And there must be a lot of stealing done to pay this horse tax. The frequent arrests of young collectors and others who have the handling of money not their own, partly tells the story. The movement to close the down-town pool rooms is strenuous, but the tracks are under the secure protection of wealth, and there is not the smallest prospect that the noble industry of improving the breed of horses will be interfered with. It is the contention of my storekeeper that these daily races have the same effect upon the financial condition of the city that a circus has upon that of a country town, and the appalling figures he furnished me appear to bear him out.

Among the business men who have reason to deplore the state of the times are the newspaper proprietors. There is not a newspaper in the city which is making money, and most of them are losing it. The foundation reason for this is that the papers are too big for the field. Competition has forced them all to a scale of expenditure that would fit a city and State of twice the population and advertising patronage. The race which the Examiner, Chronicle and Call are running is going to hurt some pockets seriously. The Call is making headway in circulation, and of course, what it gains, the others must lose. It is believed that the Chronicle is suffering most, but the Examiner recently, by reason of its extraordinary efforts to make itself attractive, has given the Chronicle cause for thanksgiving. For instance, an abandoned woman of the lowest class was murdered not long ago. This seemed to the Examiner an ideal opportunity to gratify curiosity as to the lives of such outcasts, so reporters and artists furnished pages of matter that have offended decency and exasperated the reputable people of the city, who neither like such matter themselves nor care to have it laid before their children. It is the readiness of the Examiner to spend money for news, its real enterprise, that keeps it ahead of its more economical rivals. But from this free expenditure the paper would soon be distanced. Mr. De Young and Mr. Spreckels are both millionaires, but they can't find it in their hearts to match their purses against Mr. Hearst's, even though he is pouring out wealth on his New York Journal and facing them here only on the side.

The Call is profiting largely by the diminuts or offenses of its contemporaries, and is willing to let it go at that. The newspaper tribe resent its growing prospects because Mr. Spreckels, though a millionaire, pays only half salaries. As a business man and politician he has acquired for journalists that discretion in which both classes hold them. Writing is writing to Mr. Spreckels, and if he can get for $50 matter equal in quantity to what Mr. Hearst pays $100 for, and Mr. De Young $75, Mr. Spreckels congratulates himself on his superior cleverness. Political and personal enmities tell against the Chronicle, want of regard for decorum against the Examiner. The Call is proper, if dull, and therefore finds favor. There is some talk of another morning paper—a four-page well-condensed affair, like the old-time New York Sun. That would be a relief from the swollen dailies, but the man who has money to invest and bankers to put it into a newspaper in San Francisco is not wise, unless he has the sense to know that to win he must make his paper better than any of the others. He can't do that without disbursing a fortune.

Sam Davis is down from Carson and is going about consulting authorities on spiritualistic mediums. He tells me that he has lost a ghost and is anxious to be informed of how he may find it again.

"If it wasn't for my boy, Roy," he says, "who's the nerviest young man in Nevada, if I do say it, I should have been spared the expense of this trip. I've put it off ever since Christmas, but business is business and must be attended to sooner or later. You've heard of our family ghost, of course. For several generations it has been the custom of the Davises to assemble in the drawing room, when they've had one, on Christmas eve, and pass the sacred, yet merry hours in song and story. Invariably at midnight the family ghost has joined the party. He's my great grandfather, you understand, and was one of Washington's officers. Last Christmas eve the old gentleman came as usual; turned up in the same revolutionary costume—cocked hat, pig tail, knee breeches, shoe buckles and the rest of it. We did the regular thing—rose up respectfully and stood in silence. All except Roy. While we were holding our breath, Roy walks out from behind me, goes up to the ghost and says in a voice that meant immediate personal violence: 'Say, you old chromo, dye thing this is a masquerade?' Then, before Roy could let out with his fist, the ghost whisked into nothingness, leaving a cloud of hair powder behind him. We're afraid our ancestor will cut us hereafter, which would be a loss in dignity to the family, and we're doing what we can to square ourselves. My father, as a clergyman, has exerted himself, of course, but we do not feel that the episcopal pull amounts to much. What I'm down here to do is to establish direct communication and restore harmony. I've taken the hide off Roy and he's ready to apologize. Who's your medium?"

Mr. Davis is in excellent health and, considering everything, surprisingly good spirits. ARTHUR McEWEN.

Do you remember those fine Etchings Kenney & Well's had on exhibition? They are being sold at 33⅓ per cent discount. Retiring from business—1110 Broadway.

Burglars entered the Poole residence on Tevis avenue in Fruitvale about noon yesterday and stole $13 in cash and a Smith & Wesson revolver.

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PATRIOTS ABROAD.

Washington's Birthday Is Very Gloriously Celebrated in England.

RECEPTIONS BY AMERICANS.

Court Mourning for Prince Henry Will Shortly Be Ended.

CREWS FOR THE BOAT RACE.

The Prince of Wales Has Not Taken Lord Dunraven to Task.

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LONDON, Feb. 22.—While Washington's birthday is being celebrated in the United States the members of the American colony here are honoring the memory of the father of his country in an appropriate manner. Honest love for institutions is bubbling over in many ways and Old Glory is waving proudly over many a building here in defiance of fog, soot and anything else.

At the United States Embassy the American Ambassador Thomas F. Bayard, and Mrs. Bayard, held a reception during the earlier part of the day and in the evening at the Grafton galleries, under the auspices of the American Society, there will be a banquet at which four hundred Americans will place their feet under the mahogany, clink glasses, cheer for God's country and applaud all patriotic sentiments loudly and honestly. The guests will include the staffs of the United States Embassy and United States Consulate-General, as well as Americans from nearly every part of Great Britain and Ireland.

Queen Victoria returned to Windsor on Thursday from Osborne, Isle of Wight.

The Princess of Wales, in behalf of the Queen, will hold two drawing rooms at Buckingham Palace one on March 11th and the other on April 21st. The Princess will hold two more drawing rooms in May. Although these functions will do something towards brightening up the season, there is no doubt that the court mourning for Prince Henry of Battenberg has cast a gloom over the world of society, from which complete recovery is impossible for some time to come.

The Marquis of Salisbury proceeded to Windsor yesterday in order to consult with Her Majesty on important State business. The Premier has not been to Osborne since December. This failure to visit Her Majesty in spite of the troublesome times just passed over is due to the fact that the Marquis of Salisbury is a horribly mad sailor and is afraid even to venture across the Solent unless positively compelled to do so.

YACHTING GOSSIP.

The racing yacht which the Hendersons are building from George T. Watson's designs for Emperor William, is modelled after the Prince of Wales' Britannia. The new craft is being built secretly under the same shed used for the construction of Valkyrie III and will be nearly if not quite as large as the Dunraven boat. The preliminary work upon Watson's latest is already well advanced and rumor has it that she will be completed in time to compete at the Cowes regatta.

It has been stated that the Prince of Wales in view of the death of Prince Henry of Battenburg, will not race the Britannia during the season of 1896, and it is reported that the German Emperor was so disgusted with the criticisms of the British press upon his message to President Kruger, congratulating the latter upon his having suppressed Dr. Jameson and his raiders, that he has expressed his determination not to visit England this year under any circumstances.

Westminster Gazette discussing the report that the Prince of Wales, as Commodore of the Royal Yacht Squadron, has, in some manner intervened either to induce Lord Dunraven to send an apology to the New York Yacht Club, or to prevail upon his lordship to make an amende honorable, says it is premature to believe that the Prince has not intervened in one way or the other in the Dunraven matter.

The Rt. Hon. Sir A. B. Forwood, M. P. for the southwest division of Lancashire leader of the Liverpool Conservatives known as "The Young Napoleon" and as "The Joseph Chamberlain of Liverpool," who was formerly Secretary of the Admiralty, is suing the Railway Times for libel in asserting that, while he was Naval Secretary, he passed the West Indies mail tender of the Atlas Steamship Company, whose New York agents are Messrs. Pym, for Wood & Kellogg, of which firm Sir A. L. Forwood is partner.

A letter from United States Ambassador Bayard expressing thanks for the receipt of a copy of the prologue of an entertainment given by the Brighton Colleges, insisting upon the continuance of Anglo-American friendship, has been published. Mr. Bayard says:

"I hail with delight any evidence of generous confidence in the companionship of the great human family, to which God has given the English language. It is a wise thought to inculcate international sympathies in the schools of each country. It is the way the twig is bent that the tree inclines and I hope the British oak and the American hickory will always incline to friendship towards each other."

THE BIG BOAT RACE.

W. H. Sherwood, treasurer of the Oxford University Boat Club, informs the Associated Press that the crew for the coming boat race with Cambridge is now definitely made up, subject to changes, of course, due to accidents, to illness. The crew comprises J. J. Dekoop, bow, 156 pounds; C. K. Phillips, No. 2, 174 pounds; E. C. Sherwood, No. 3, 180 pounds; C. D. Burnell, No. 4, 188 pounds; E. R. Balfour, No. 5, 188 pounds; R. Carr, No. 6, 176 pounds; H. Graham, No. 7, 188 pounds; H. Gold, stroke, 159 pounds; H. Pechell, coxswain, 115 pounds. The crew is generally looked upon as very promising and likely to prove very fast, even before the time of the race.

The Cambridge crew has also been decided upon. It consists of T. B. Hope, bow, 155 pounds; H. A. Game, No. 2, 176 pounds; D. Pennington, No. 3, 175 pounds; R. Y. Bonsey, No. 4, 175 pounds; W. H. A. Bieber, No. 5, 180 pounds; T. G. J. Duncanson, No. 6, 193 pounds; A. S. Bell, No. 7, 163 pounds; W. J. Pernet, stroke, 170 pounds; T. S. Pagel-Tomlinson, coxswain, 111 pounds. The crew is somewhat heavier than that of last year and already gives promise of developing a much greater degree of speed.

GENERAL GOSSIP.

Lady Henry Somerset will preside at a meeting in St. Martin's Town Hall, Charing Cross, on Monday evening February 24th. The meeting will consider and explain the objects of the National Council of Women of Great Britain and Ireland. Among those who will take part in the functions are Miss Eva McLaren, Prof. Roberts Austin, C. R., Mrs. Alex. Tweedie and Mrs. Hicks.

Frangcon Davies, the bass singer, will shortly leave London for a tour in America.

George Fox's opera "Nydia," which was first brought out at the Crystal Palace and subsequently produced in Drury Lane by Sir Augustus Harris, will be given in the form of a "Costume Recital" at the Royal Victoria Hall on the evening of March 5th.

Much interest is manifested in the forthcoming volume of the late Lord Leighton's academy address. Long before his death the President of the Royal Academy had this book in contemplation, but at the time of his death he had not arranged all details to his entire satisfaction.

Hall Caine's sister, Miss Lily Caine, is to be married in March to George Day, the popular young dramtist.

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A POPULAR DEMONSTRATION.

Washington's Birthday Brings a Huge Host to the Town.

Oakland stayed at home to celebrate Washington's Birthday. It is needless therefore, to say that the celebration was a pronounced success. The public procession which has been in course of preparation for several weeks past was never exceeded in size by any that took place in this city, save, possibly, that of the Fourth of July of last year.

Many of the merchants and manufacturers closed the doors of their places of business, and the front of nearly every store in the heart of the town testified to local patriotism by beautiful and artistic decorations.

The streets early filled with people anxious to obtain a view of the anticipated spectacle. They lined Broadway and the cross streets along which it was announced the line of march extended. They filled every available door, window, roof and place of vantage along the route.

The procession was announced to move at 10 o'clock, but was delayed some time beyond that hour. When at length it got under way it was with a great alarm of trumpets and the cheers of hundreds. In the advance rode Chief of Police Lloyd, Captain Wilson and Sergeant Hodgkins, and then a platoon of 20 men officered by Capt. Wilson.

Grand Marshal Henry Dalton came next. He was on a fine white horse. He wore a broad sash of gold colored silk extending over the right shoulder and fastened on the left side by golden stars.

Then came Chief of Staff Samuel P. Bodwell, with a Red White and Blue sash, color bearer, Bugler, Aids to the Grand Marshal, F. E. Pierce, E. A. Sherman, Jr., D. W. Martin, C. L. Pierce, J. W. Laymance, G. I. Taggart, Theo. Gier, W. Mathews, O. L. Bell, W. M. Gardner, H. L. Weitzel, G. B. Vose, Jr., A. Humphreys, A. B. Tennant, J. E. Holmes, N. W. Leitch, J. G. Chambers, Wm. Higby, Dr. R. W. Rogers, E. D. Lane, W. N. Pierce, W. R. Hodges, G. W. Brower, C. W. Peirce. These wore blue sashes, white trousers and top boots.

The next was a float of the American flag formed of young ladies dressed in appropriate colors to represent the national standard.

THE FIRST DIVISION.

The first division next advanced with Captain Charles K. King as marshal. His aids were C. M. Ingerson and S. K. King. These were followed by the Fifth Regiment Band, with their white and blue uniforms discoursing martial music. After them came the excellent drum corps of the regiment, twelve strong, and drumming like one man.

Then came the battalion of the Fifth Infantry under the command of Major J. F. Hayes on an excellent mount. The several companies were officered as follows: Company A, Capt. T. C. Poulter, Second Lieut. Vaughn; Company F, Capt. G. H. Wethern, First Lieut. W. H. Cobbledick, Second Lieut. S. E. Wonk; Company G, Capt. W. F. Chipman, First Lieut. W. W. Simpson.

The next feature was a large float representing Washington and the cherry tree. There was also a tent with a field piece and several soldiers representing continental and federal armies.

The next feature in the parade was the Grand Army. The post represented by Lyon and Appomattox. George A. Norton was in command of the first mentioned, and with that post was a feature that thrilled many an onlooker. It was the battle flag of the California regiment which did service in the war of the rebellion. It was borne by Gen. Thompson, late commandant at Yountville, a man who, enlisting as a private rose to the position of brigadier in defending the same flag. The general is still erect and martial in his bearing, and made an imposing feature as he walked with that banner, its tattered remnants telling of the rebel bullets that had sped through it and the dead that fell beneath it.

The veterans marched well, despite their infirmities, and there was no doubt they appreciated the distinction which was accorded them of having risked their lives for home and country.

Appomattox post was commanded by J. F. Pierce, and shared the honor of Lyon post, and the stalwart standard bearer.

This post was followed by Admiral Porter post, which is the only post of the order in the city.

Then came carriages containing John A. Sands, President of the day, Major E. A. Sherman, Dr. George C. Pardee, Mayor Davie, George L. Fish, George Kaufman, J. M. Bassett, Dr. T. L. Carpenter, President of the Celebration Committee, City Attorney Piersol, City Engineer Wilson, City Clerk Tompkins, members of the Council, Board of Education and Board of Supervisors.

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THE SECOND DIVISION.

The second division was marshalled by E. C. Leon. His aides were C. C. Gilbert, A. E. Isaac and A. L. Todd.

The Veteran Firemen of San Francisco were next in order. It was their first appearance in this city. They conquered everybody as they advanced. They were headed by their own band of eighteen pieces, which played with a precision suggesting the methods of Sousa, the march king. There were ninety-four men in line. They were all stalwarts. It really seemed as if the fire fighters of others days must have found vigor in the work, because every one of those in the procession seemed hardy to fight time for as many years more as they fought the flames. Each man wore his heavy black fire helmet, traditional red shirt with black cravat, black patent-leather belt, black trousers, and a fatigue cap on the hip. Each also held the rope attached to the hand engine of the company.

They were accompanied by their officers as follows: President, Jos. S. Marshall; first vice-president, S. Bunner; second vice-president, Geo. Carlisle; third vice-president, W. H. Miller; financial secretary, Gus Pohlmann; recording secretary, W. A. Scully; treasurer, W. Frunkrugh; sergeant-at-arms, John H. Burns; Board of Directors, W. Rantringer, John Foley, Frank Terramorse, Thomas Connell, Alla Harris; trustees, Fred Will, Richard Harrold, and Cal Burns. The marshal was Joseph Marchall, who while a member of the Exempt and Veteran firemen, is also President of the Veterans and a member of the Fire Commissioners' Board in San Francisco. His aide was the stalwart S. Bunner. Both of these gentlemen carried a traditional speaking trumpet; the bell of which was filled with a beautiful bouquet presented by Mrs. Lily Hitchcock Cort, who in the days when the boys ran with the machine, ran also, as a member of Company No. 5 over in San Francisco. Mrs. Colt is now a full fledged active member of the Veterans. It is needless to say the bouquets were appreciated by the recipients. Behind the company rolled the hand engine "Veteran." It is a stately mass of varnished and highly polished iron and glistening brass, appropriately inscribed. It was sparsely decorated with flowers, because flowers would only hide the brakes, the dome, the sides and other features which are reminders of a method of fire-fighting known no more in large cities.

Among the men in line were noted W. D. Farren, James Pennycook, B. Mayer, James Ford, D. DeBarnardi, Fred A. Vill, George Lawton, Frank Terramorse, John Satchwell, Thos. Brady, John Watkins, John Carson, Richard Harrold, James Clark, C. G. Schaffer, J. H. McMahon, Thos. Kenny, P. Conners, John Fick, C. Wilton, John DeVaul, Thos. Cornell, Hugh Calvin, James Hayden, F. Fitzsimmons, Francis Goss, James McKeowen, Capt. Pharo, Lee Surbyne, Fred Kaufman, Wm. Kramer, Wm. Edwards, John Stout, Douglas White, George White, Jno. McCarthy, John Lynch, Capt. J. J. Herron, George Burkhard, Robt. Turner, E. T. Anthony, George Pigeon, John Nugent, James Clark, J. W. Scott, M. Barman, Dave Skehan, Jack Skehan, Wm. Dunn, C. Berholshime, Geo. Bayruther, Peter Brown, J. W. Kenny, Thomas Lord, Chas. Cram, P. Lahaney, L. Selinger, Ed. Saulsbury, John Carrol, J. B. Landa, Wm. Gantenes, F. Boehmer, H. Kohn, Joe Griffiths, J. Watkins, M. Breen, R. Butler, and many others.

THE THIRD DIVISION.

The third division followed, with C. H. Ingerson, marshal, C. C. Dryden, G. A. Waterbury and C. E. Randolph aides.

Then came a float representing the surrender of Cornwallis at Yorktown. This was well carried out, all the customs and action being historically correct.

The artillery band then followed, their red plumes and white helmets accentuating their military uniform.

Following was a float representing the thirteen original States, each represented by a young woman dressed in white, the genius of Columbia being represented by a fair-haired young creature. All the young women were really beautiful.

Uncle Sam personated by C. W. Corner, followed. Then came about four hundred patriotic citizens, and a number of councils of the Junior Order of United American Mechanics from San Francisco and the following councils of this city: George A. Custer Council No. 22, James Monroe Council No. 24, Paul Revere Council No. 25, John A. Logan Council No. 31, Henry Clay Council No. 34. They wore white caps, some of the chapeaus being decorated with red, white and blue ribbon. Several of the councils bore red and white pampas plumes, which they held aloft.

A cavalcade of ladies, under the marshalship of Miss Abbie R. Taggart, followed.

Then came an immense float containing 45 young women representing the Union. Each was attired in the national colors.

Now came a deputation of the spirit of 1776, followed by a float representing the Red, White and Blue.

Alameda was represented by Council No. 35 U. A. P. A. This comprised about a dozen ladies in a carryall. Each had her hair powdered by way of recalling the colonial dames of America.

THE FOURTH DIVISION.

The fourth division was commanded by E. A. Von Schmidt, whose aides were W. H. C. Behrens and Charles Ruprecht.

This was headed by a drum corps of D. Company of Second Regiment B. B. C. L. with N. Cobbledick in command. It headed a float, one interesting feature of which was a school house.

Next came a float representing the rigors of the winter in Valley Forge and the suffering endured by the patriots.

Then followed the schools of the city, and this was one of the imposing features of the procession. Each school seemed to vie with the others in making a fine appearance. Each also was headed by a drum corps in most instances composed of smaller boys. Where the little ones mastered the art of drumming is unknown, but it is a fact that they have acquired wonderful dexterity with the sticks and a faculty of keeping march time.

Each school was headed with a banner of hardly proportions of a flag appropriately inscribed. Every boy had a flag on his cap, lapel or hand or else had a distinguishing badge on his breast to indicate his school.

It would be difficult to say which school presented the most imposing or the more military appearance. The marching of each was done with ease and grace and evoked a great deal of commendation all along the line.

The schools and their principals in line were as follows:

High School, J. B. McChesney; Durant School, S. G. S. Dunbar; Garfield School, Mrs. Ellen Gibbs; Grove Street School, Mrs. H. D. Standeford; Lincoln School, T. O. Crawford; Swett School, J. H. Summer; float, "With Coming into the Union;" Cole School, G. W. Frick; Franklin School, J. S. Chandler; Grant School, Miss Elizabeth Powell; Harrison School, Miss M. M. Mulvey; La Fayette School, Miss A. F. Aldrich; Prescott School, C. F. Gullick; Tompkins School, C. E. Markham; Piedmont, Peralta, Golden Gate, Emeryville, Alameda, Berkeley, Temescal Public Schools.

THE FIFTH DIVISION.

The fifth division followed with George Baxley marshal, and F. W. Craig and Louis Kress, aides.

The first feature of this division was a cavalcade of about 200 horsemen under the leadership of P. J. Keller of Piedmont. This was one of the largest and most military looking bands of mounted men that ever appeared in line in this city. Each man wore a sash of patriotic colors and Chief Keller was decorated with regalia of wine colored velvet and gold.

The fire department followed. At the head rode Chief Fair in his buggy. Then came the men attached to Phenix engine in the traditional fireman's uniform. Next came the engine glistening like polished silver and reflecting on all sides beautiful decorations of flowers and national colors. The horses were in magnificent fettle and seemed to feel that they too had to show off on the occasion. Following was the hose wagon, which was also gaily decorated, while the horses pranced along the roadway. Then came the Thirteenth street chemical engine decorated with flowers and hose No. 1, with the men carrying Japanese parasols. The hose cart was covered with flowers. The hook and ladder truck was preceded by its men and was itself loaded with garlands of smilax and flowers.

Company No. 6, followed and all the apparatus was decorated in a beautiful manner.

A varied assortment of private vehicles brought the procession to a close.

The procession moved along the following streets: Along Broadway to Fifth street, to Washington, to Fourteenth to San Pablo avenue, to Sixteenth street, to Telegraph avenue, to Fourteenth street, along Broadway to Second street, countermarching to Eighth street where it was reviewed by the grand marshal. The divisions line on the east and west sides of Broadway. The school children marched in review of both lines.

After singing "America" en masse the parade was dismissed.

AT THE CHURCH.

Patriotic literary exercises will be held at 8 P. M. in the First Congregational Church, corner of Twelfth and Clay streets.

AT THE TABERNACLE.

The Y. M. I. Will Give a Fine Celebration Tonight.

Final arrangements for the celebration of Washington's Birthday by Councils No. 6, 8 and 31, Y. M. I., which takes place at the Tabernacle tonight are now completed.

Rev. Arthur W. Clark, C. S. P. will be the orator of the evening, his subject being "The Opinions of Great American non-Catholic Citizens on the Catholic Church."

Father Clark is a member of the Order of Sons of Revolutionary Sires. His great grandfather took part in the Revolutionary War and was on intimate terms with Washington, Lafayette and other heroes of that great struggle.

The musical part of the programme will be in keeping with the day. Miss Lottie Crawford of St. Joseph's choir, San Francisco, will sing "Columbia, the Gem of the Ocean." Willie W. Clarke Wilson will give "The Star Spangled Banner." There will be a duet and a quartette from St. Mary's College and several other numbers.

The committee of arrangements wish to correct the impression that there is to be an admission fee or that invitations will be required. The meeting is free and all are welcome. Several of the Y. M. I. Councils of San Francisco will be present.

POPULAR VISITORS.

Veteran Firemen Entertained by the Local Body.

At the close of the procession a committee of the Exempt Firemen of this city waited upon the Exempt Firemen from San Francisco and escorted them to the hall, 418 Eighth street, immediately opposite The Tribune office.

There there was provided an excellent lunch such as the veterans could and did appreciate after their long march.

After the solid and substantial refreshments had been disposed of Brother Pohlman of San Francisco sang "When We Ran with the Old Machine" and the whole crowd joined in the chorus. Cigars were passed around and then the men wandered to the street while the band of the veterans serenaded The Tribune.

The visitors then became the guests of Leslie Blackburn, who invited them to partake of his hospitality at Joe Boquet's place in the Galindo hotel, an invitation which was cheerfully accepted, because Leslie is a member of the Veterans and has been with them from their inception.

The veterans then took a short march through town and returned to the Tribune office, where their band gave an excellent concert. They left for home at 2 o'clock.

Among the Oakland people who were active in entertaining the guests were Billy Moore and ex-Chief Lawton.

ST. MARY'S COLLEGE.

The Class of '97 Presents an Entertainment of High Order.

There was a grand celebration in honor of Washington's birthday at St. Mary's college last night.

It was held in the large exhibition hall of the institution which was beautifully decorated with national symbols and flowers.

There was a large attendance of friends of the institution and the class of ninety-seven, under whose auspices the entertainment was given. The front page of the programme was occupied by a finely executed vignette of George Washington.

The members of the class of '97 comprises Rev. Brother Benedict, Robert G. Drady, William A. Hughes, Joseph J. Hooson, J. William Solen, John J. Greeley, Bernard J. Flood, Thomas H. Richardson and William F. Murphy.

The exercises opened with the overture, "Columbia March," by Schrammel, which was finely executed by the college orchestra. Introductory remarks, in an eloquent manner, were made by Thomas H. Richardson, the president of the day.

All of the features of the programme, whether of a literary or musical character, were excellently rendered and many of them were of a decided patriotic character appropriate to the occasion.

The other features of the programme were as follows:

Vocal Duet, "The Two Sailors"..Parry
J. W. Solen, R. G. Drady.
Recitation, "The Midnight Mass" ..... White
William A. Hughes.
Vocal Solo, "Memories of Childhood" ..... Graham
J. William Solen.
Selection, "America"..... Phillips
John J. Greeley.
Vocal Quartette, "The Sword of Bunker Hill" ..... Wallace
J. W. Solen, G. E. Hayward, R. G. Drady, H. J. Swords.
Interlude, "American Airs"....Wiegand
Orchestra.
Extract, "The American Flag",Beecher
Joseph J. Hooson.
Vocal Duet, "A B, C"..... Parry
J. L. Jaunet, J. L. Traffe.
Oration, "The Character of Washington"..... J. William Solen
Instrumental Solo, "Rondo Capriccioso" ..... Mendelssohn
F. Schorcht, Jr.
Recitation, "Death of Benedict Arnold" ..... Lippard
Robert G. Drady.
Vocal Trio, "O, Restless Sea"....White
J. L. Jaunet, J. W. Solen
H. J. Swords.
Recitation, "The Dandy Fifth"....
..... Gassaway
Bernard J. Flood.
Finale, "Souvenir Quipster"..... College Orchestra.

WOMAN'S WORK.

Local Talent Well Applied in a Special "Enquirer."

The Washington's Birthday edition of the Enquirer issued today shows that Oakland women do not have to take a back seat when it comes down to getting out a newspaper. They had full charge of the issue and they filled its columns with interesting and well-prepared matter. Mrs. Alice M. Stocker, the editor-in-chief, directed the destinies of the day in a most able manner and her assistants developed both talent and enterprise. Among the many contributors were Mrs. Donald McLean, Mrs. Wm. Keith, Emily C. Remsen, Katherine A. G. Patterson, Mary E. Holmes, S. C. Sanford, Sarah C. Borland, K. P. S. Boyd, Emorita E. Echlin, Mary Fairweather, Eunice A. Preston, Sarah M. Severance, Grace M. Kimball, Lucy Ellis, Mrs. R. F. Coyle, Emma Shafter Howard, and Mary Lambert.

The Regatta.

The Pioneer Boat Club of San Francisco beat the Columbias in the first race this afternoon.

The South End beat the Universities.

Mrs. Wilmore in Jail.

Young Abe Majors has "peached" on Mrs. Wilmore, the mother of his youthful partner in the safe cracking business, and as a result this woman, who has posed as a pillar in the church, and quoted biblical phrases galore to the reporters, is now locked up in the city prison with a charge of burglary against her.

A RATTLING ROAD RACE.

Henry Noonan Comes in First and F. C. Hansen Second.

C. S. Wells of the Bay City Wheelmen Captures the Time Prize.

The twenty-five mile bicycle race of the Associated Cycling Clubs, took place over the San Leandro triangle this morning. A large crowd of spectators lined the road on either side of the start and finish. They were kept off of the course by cops.

At 10 o'clock Starter LeWitt Van Court of the Acme Club sent the first man out. From that time until the finish it was anybody's race though the scrated men were too heavily handicapped to stand a show for any time for first place. At the end of the first lap G. W. Thomas of the C. C. C. led, followed by F. G. Thomas, A. C., F. C. Hansen, C. C., C. and C. Myrick, R. C. C. W. in the order named.

At the end of the second lap A. O. Orlion, I. C. C. was in the lead, F. C. Hansen, F. G. Thomas and Henry Noonan being in the same bunch. The scratch men stuck together near the end of the procession.

The first half dozen finished in a group, Henry Noonan, S. R. W. led by a few inches, F. C. Hansen being second.

The other finished in the following order: F. S. Thomas, Acme; A. O. Orlion, O. C. C.; J. E. Scott, Acme; G. W. Thomas, C. C. C.; E. J. Smith, Acme; F. L. Thiel, S. F. R. C.; J. R. Kenna, Acme; G. H. Curtis, Acme; R. C. Raynale, R. C. W.

Half a dozen followed and the scratch men were announced by a shout. Wells, R. C. W., finished first, with Edwards, O. C. W. close at his heels. A lasso would have caught the group. The time was caught at 1 11:50 2-5. Smith of Acme made a good run.

Several minor, though not serious accidents, befell both wheels and wheelmen. C. W. Conner fell in the first lap and drew out. At the finish Nisson of the Acme was coming in at a rapid pace when his wheel struck the one in front of him. He fell heavily, cutting his arm and shoulder painfully. No bones were broken, however.

HIRSHBERG SUCCEEDS IRISH.

Governor Budd has removed John P. Irish as a director of the Blind Home, and has appointed D. S. Hirshberg, of this city, in his stead.

Broke His Knee.

Moses Asher, of Fifth street and Broadway, fell and fractured his left knee cap this morning. He was treated at the receiving hospital.

Union Street Presbyterian church Rev. Dr. Brick preaches at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M.

Why Do You Persist?

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GRUGGEL—In Pleasant Valley, Piedmont, February 20, 1896, Irma Mathilda, beloved daughter of A. R. and Eugenie Gruggel, a native of Pleasant Valley, aged 2 years, 8 months, 13 days.

Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend the funeral Sunday at 2 o'clock P. M. from the residence of the parents, corner of Piedmont Valley Road and Linda avenue, Piedmont.

Interment St. Mary's cemetery.

PUMYEA—In this city, February 21, 1896, Peter, beloved husband of Lovain Pumyea, a native of Illinois, aged 61 years, 9 months, 1 days.

Marysville papers please copy.

Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral Sunday, February 23, 1896, at 2:30 P. M. from his late residence, 959 Adeline street, under the auspices of Oakland Lodge No. 178, I. O. O. F., Live Oak Lodge No. 17, K. of P., and Gray Eagle Tribe No. 65, I. O. R. M. Interment Mountain View Cemetery.

DANN—In this city, February 20, 1896, Anna M., wife of Nels P. Dann, and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hector Morrison, a native of San Francisco, aged 28 years.

The funeral will take place Monday, February 24, 1896, at 10 o'clock A. M., from the residence of her parents, 1771 Seward street, Oakland.

NOTICE!

Grey Eagle Tribe No. 65, I. O. Red Men, will meet at its hall Sunday, 1 P. M. sharp, to attend the funeral of Brother P. Pumyea.

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NOTICE To buyers of household goods. Patronize the old reliable firm of H. Schellhaas, 408 11th st. You will find goods just as represented. Our motto "Do as you would be done by."

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CARLTON W. GREENE—Attorney-at-law, with dist att'y Court House.

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BEN F. WOOLNER—Attorney and counselor-at-law and notary public. 1003½ Broadway, rooms 7 and 8.

DODGE & FRY—Attorneys-at-law, 906 Broadway, rooms 21 and 22, Blake & Moffitt building.

HARRY A. MELVIN—Attorney-at-law; office of prosecuting att'y, City Hall.

Z. N. GOLDSBY—Attorney-at-law, No. 957 Broadway, rooms 1 and 2.

FRANK W. SAWYER—Attorney-at-law, 906 Broadway, rooms 72-3-4, Oakland.

FOX & GRAY—Attorneys-at-law, Pacific Mutual building, entrance 6, fourth floor, San Francisco.

WASTE & STETSON—Attorneys and counselors-at-law, 906 Broadway, rooms 13 and 14, Blake & Moffitt building, Oakland, California.

E. H. SHAW—Attorney-at-law, 906 Broadway, rooms 53 and 54.

GEORGE E. DE GOLIA—967 Broadway, northeast cor. of 9th st., Oakland, room 2, telephone No. 38.

JOHNSON & SHAW—Law office, 921 Broadway, rooms 2, 3 and 5.

MELVIN C. CHAPMAN—Attorney-at-law, 957 Broadway, Oakland, Cal., rooms 3, 4 and 5.

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WANTED—A clothing salesman who can speak Spanish and Portuguese. Flood building, R. 7. S. F.

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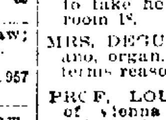

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FOR EXCHANGE—Reduced to $1800, a small house and a corner lot of 1 acre of fenced land. Inquire 265 Orchard st.

REAL ESTATE.

MUST be sold this week, cottage of 4 rooms and bath, and cottage of 6 rooms and bath; lot 50x135, situated on 13th near Wood st.; rents for $20, make offer. W. P. Ryan, 910 7th st.

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WANTED—Two or 3 connecting rooms, completely furnished for housekeeping; also 1 single sunny room and bath. Apply or address at once. Mrs. Ford, 608 9th st.

HOUSES TO RENT.

TO LET—Unfurnished, a nice cottage of six rooms and basement on lot 60x150; furniture for sale. Apply on premises 1271 7th av., East Oakland.

$20—ELEGANTLY papered sunny cottage, 7 rooms, bath, laundry, all modern improvements, nice basement water free, 1156 Peralta st. near 13th. st. Key at 1013 Chester st., near 12th st.

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Notice to Creditors.

ESTATE OF DOLLY S. WEBSTER, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, executor of the estate of Dolly S. Webster, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers within ten months after the first publication of this notice to the said executor at the offices of E. M. Gibson and Welles Whitmore, No. 1003¼ Broadway, Oakland, Cal., rooms 7 and 8, which said office the undersigned selects as his place of business in all matters connected with the said estate of Dolly S. Webster, deceased.

J. H. SUMNER,
Executor of the estate of Dolly S. Webster, deceased.

Dated, Oakland February 22d, 1896.
E. M. Gibson and Welles Whitmore, attorneys for said executor.

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REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS

DEEDS.

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 21, 1896.

E. P. and Vivian P. Vandercook to M. H. Eastman, E Van Dyke av 141.20 N 4th av, N 50, E 125, S 58.45, W 11.56, S 11.55, W 83.34 to beginning, being lot 22, Ridgewood. QCD, $10.

Gertrude B. Wurts to Albert S. Woodbridge, NE Lincoln av. and Spruce st. E 44 x N 140, blk G, Clinton Mound tract; NE Lincoln av. and Spruce st. E 132 x N 280, being lots 1, 2, 3, 12 and 16, blk G, same. $10.

Sibyl S. and H. H. Schrader to Mark S. Baker, lots 1 to 8, blk D, Broadway Terrace tract, subject to a mortgage, $10.

Pacific Coast Savings Society to Alexander Johnson, W Park st. 110.2¼, S Buena Vista av. S 35.4½, W 106.33¼, N 35, E 107.60 to beginning, blk 46, lands adjacent to Encinal; $2300.

J. C. and Mary E. McMullen to Mary H. Buck, wife of J. J., lots 15 and 21, blk 1, lot 46, blk 2, Grove st. line tract; $10.

Fred and Frieda Harder to Emily Wendt, wife of Oscar, T Virginia st. 120 E Grant st. E 40 x S 125.4½, blk 1, State University Hd. Assn., No. 4, $100.

Emma L. Bowne to Harriet A. Pratt, sub F, bounded by Merrill av. Lloyd av. Wheeler av. and Lane st., being portion Fruitvale Terminal tract, $10.

H. C. Morris to Thomas Nuttall, S Jones av. 50, W Chestnut W 150 x S 125, being lots 9, 10, 11, blk 12, Warner tract; $10.

D. J. Buckley to Hyacinth Gil, SW 15th and Cypress W 71 x S 32, blk 752 B, Bagge tract; $5.

Harry H. Seawell to E. T. Leiter, W West st. 111.26 N 36th or Logan N 25 x W 108.21, being lot 5, blk H, Major Given tract; $10.

Tillie Campbell to E. A. Heron, NW Broadway 210, NE Edith NE 30 x NW 100, blk I, Broadway Terrace, subject to a mortgage to University of California for $70; $10.

Fred W. and Rebecca C. Gilman to Harry H. Seawell, W West st. 111.26, N 36th or Logan N 25 x W 108.21, being lot 5, blk H, Major Given tract, $10.

Frank M. and Rose H. Wilson to L. D. Sype, S Virginia st. 225 E Le Roy av. E 50 x S 125, being lot 10, blk 15, Daley's Scenic Park, $10.

James L. and Mary C. Barker to David B. Hunter, NW Dwight Way and Ellsworth W 50 x N 100, blk 4, College Hd., $10.

C. D. and Edith A. Brunn to Charles A. Mohrhardt, S Durant av. 305 E Ellsworth st. E 50 x S 130, blk 12, College Hd., $10.

Manuel T. and L. M. Sousa to Jos. T. Sousa, und. ½ int. 2.506 acres NE county road San Leandro to Oakland, 105.41 feet, N from S corner lands of Maurice Welch, thence NE 1035.54 feet x NW 105.41, reserving strip 5 feet along said county road, grant.

Joseph T. Sousa to Manoel T. Sousa, undivided ½ interest N line county road San Leandro to Oakland, at S corner D acre tract of Maurice Welsh, thence SE 1035.54 x NW 105.11½, except a strip 5 feet wide along said county road, grant.

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Wanted!

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SHERIFF'S SALE.

HOMESTEAD LOAN ASSOCIATION OF BERKELEY, (a corporation), Plaintiff, vs. FRANK E. NELSON, et al., Defendants. No. 11,744

Under and by virtue of an order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale issued out of the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, of the State of California, on the 5th day of February, A. D. 1896 in the above entitled action wherein Homestead Loan Association of Berkeley, (a corporation), the above named plaintiff, obtained a judgment and decree of foreclosure and sale against Frank E. Nelson and Henry T. Lally, defendants, on the 29th day of January, A. D. 1896, for the sum of One Thousand and Eight and 95-100 dollars, in lawful money of the United States, besides interest, costs and counsel fees, which said decree was, on the 4th day of February, A. D. 1896, recorded in Judgment Book 12, of said Court, at page 125, I am commanded to sell all that certain lot of land, situate in the Town of Berkeley, County of Alameda, State of California, and more particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Commencing at a point in the easterly line of Pine street distant thereon two hundred (200) feet southerly from the southeasterly corner of Pine and Durant streets; and running thence southerly and along said line of Pine street one hundred and twenty (120) feet; thence at right angles easterly one hundred thirty-four and one-half (134½) feet; thence at right angles northerly one hundred and twenty (120) feet and thence at right angles westerly one hundred thirty-four and one-half (134½) feet to the point of commencement, being the southerly forty (40) feet of Lot Three (3) and the northerly eighty (80) feet of Lot Six (6) of Block Ten (10), as said lots and block are delineated on a certain map entitled "Map of the Property of the Berkeley Villa Association," filed in the office of the County Recorder of said Alameda county on July 27th, 1875.

Public notice is hereby given that on

MONDAY, THE 2D DAY OF MARCH, A. D. 1896,

At 10 o'clock A. M. of that day, in front of the Broadway entrance of the Court House of the County of Alameda, in the City of Oakland, I will, in obedience to said order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale, sell the above described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to raise sufficient money to satisfy said judgment, with interest and costs, etc., to the highest and best bidder for lawful money of the United States.

Oakland, February 5, 1896.
CALVIN B. WHITE, Sheriff.
F. M. Husted, attorney for plaintiff.

PROBATE NOTICE

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of Naomi Kent Washburn, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc.

Notice is hereby given that a petition for the probate of the will of Naomi Kent Washburn, deceased and for the issuance to Caroline Webster, of letters testamentary thereon has been filed in this Court, and that Monday, the 2d day of March, A. D. 1896, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Court room of Department No. 4, of said Court, at the Court House in the City of Oakland, in said County of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition and proving said will when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated, February 13th, 1896.
(Seal) FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.
By F. D. Adams, Deputy Clerk.
Wm. H. H. Hart, No. 152 Crocker Building, San Francisco, attorney for petitioner.

ANNUAL MEETING.

The regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the California Improvement Company will be held at the office of the company, No. 1003½ Broadway, Oakland, on Tuesday, the twenty-fifth (25th) day of February, 1896, at 9 A. M., for the election of a board of directors for the ensuing year and the transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting.

T. F. SCANLON, Secretary.
Oakland, February 10th, 1896.

LEGAL

NOTICE.

State and County Taxes for the Year 1895.

STATE AND COUNTY TAXES FOR the year 1895.

To all taxpayers in the County of Alameda, State of California.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, tax collector of the County of Alameda, State of California, is in receipt of the assessment book of said County of Alameda, and that in accordance with the provisions of Section 3746 of the Political Code of the State of California,

Notice is hereby given that the assessment book for State and County taxes for the year 1895 on all property within the County of Alameda, has been received by me, and that the taxes as shown by said assessment book are now due and payable at my office in the Court House of said County of Alameda, in the City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, every day, (except legal holidays) during office hours, after the first Monday in October, 1895, and as follows:

The taxes on all personal property secured by real property, and one-half of the taxes on all real property in the said County of Alameda, will be due and payable on the

First Monday in October, in the Year 1895,

At my office in the Court House of said Alameda County, situated in the City of Oakland, in said county, every day (not a legal holiday) during office hours as fixed by law, and will be delinquent on the

Last Monday in November, 1895,

At 6 o'clock P. M. of said day and that unless paid prior thereto, fifteen per cent will be added to the amount thereof, and that if said one-half be not paid before the last Monday in April, 1896, five per cent will be added thereto.

And notice is further given that the remaining one-half of the taxes on all real property in said Alameda county for the year 1895, will be payable to the undersigned, tax collector of said Alameda county, as aforesaid, at the office of the tax collector as aforesaid, on and after the first Monday in January, 1896, and will be delinquent on the

Last Monday in April, 1896,

At 6 o'clock P. M. of said day and that unless paid prior thereto five per cent will be added to the amount thereof.

Notice is hereby further given that all taxes may be paid at the time the first installment, as herein provided is due and payable.

And notice is hereby further given that in accordance with said Section 3746 of the Political Code of the State of California and after the first Monday in October, 1895, all the taxes whether first or second installment, before delinquency thereof, or if delinquent, together with the percentage added thereto as is above set forth, may be paid to me at my office, as aforesaid, at any time during business hours as aforesaid, and after said

First Monday in October, 1895,

And upon such full payment being made, full receipts for the taxes both first and second installments will be given in accordance with law.

Dated at Oakland, California, this 12th day of October, 1895.

JAMES B. BARBER,

Tax Collector of the County of Alameda, State of California.

Notice of Hearing Before the Board of Supervisors of the County of Alameda of a Petition of A. P. Newbert and Others, for the Purpose of Regulating and Controlling the Charges for Water and Compensation to be Collected by the Contra Costa and Oakland Water Companies in the County of Alameda, State of California.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT on the 9th day of March, 1896, at the Board rooms of the Board of Supervisors of the County of Alameda, City of Oakland, of said County, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day or as soon thereafter as the same can be heard, the petition of A. P. Newbert and others for the purpose of regulating and controlling the rates and compensation to be collected by the Contra Costa and Oakland Water Companies, for the County of Alameda, will be duly heard and considered by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Alameda.

Said petition reads as follows:

PETITION FOR REDUCTION OF WATER RATES.

To the Honorable the Board of Supervisors of Alameda County.—

The petition of the undersigned respectfully shows and represents:

That the Council of the City of Oakland acting under the power conferred on them by law, have materially reduced the charge for the use of water supplied to the public by the Contra Costa and Oakland Water Companies and that the new rates made by the said City Council are based upon the entire plant of said Contra Costa and Oakland Water Companies and upon their entire revenue and are not confined to their expenditures and revenue arising solely within the corporate limits of the City of Oakland.

That therefore rates which will yield a lawful revenue within the said City of Oakland will also yield a lawful revenue when made applicable outside said limits.

That your petitioners are inhabitants of, and taxpayers of this County of Alameda, State of California, and reside outside the corporate limits of any City or Town in said County, and further represent that said petitioners are water-rate payers.

WHEREFORE the undersigned do hereby most respectfully petition your Honorable Board (acting under the powers conferred by law for the regulation of charges for the use of water as laid down by "An act to regulate and control the sale, rental and distribution of appropriated water in this State, other than in any City, City and County, or Town therein, etc." Approved March 12, 1885, regulate and reduce the rates lawfully to be charged by the Contra Costa and Oakland Water Companies for the use of water in the territory within your jurisdiction outside the corporate limits of the City of Oakland as will make them uniform with such lawful rates as were recently enacted to apply within the corporate limits of the City of Oakland;

And your petitioners will ever pray, etc.
A. P. Newbert, Elmhurst.
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Chas. Harrison, Fruitvale.
H. Hansen, Fruitvale.
Mary E. Werner, Fruitvale.
E. Gates, Fruitvale.

Said notice above set forth is made to notify all such persons, companies, associations and corporations mentioned in said petition and all persons interested in the matters of such petition and notice of the hearing of said petition of A. P. Newbert and others for the purpose of regulating and controlling the charges for water and compensation to be collected by the Contra Costa and Oakland Water Companies in the said County of Alameda.

By order of the Board of Supervisors.
(Seal) FRANK C. JORDAN,
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of Alameda County, California.
Dated, February 3, 1896.

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NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING OF STOCKHOLDERS.

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Whitney Transfer Co., a corporation, will be held at the office of the company, 927 Broadway, corner Tenth street, City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, on Tuesday, the tenth (10th) day of March, 1896, at 1 o'clock P. M., for the election of directors for the ensuing year and the transaction of such other business as may come before them.

GEORGE P. McNEAR, President.
W. L. ACHARD, Secretary.

ANNUAL MEETING.

The regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the California Railway will be held at the office of the company, No. 1003¼ Broadway, Oakland, on Tuesday, the twenty-fifth (25th) day of February, 1896, at 9 A. M., for the election of a board of directors and the transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting.

W. M. RANK, Secretary.
Oakland, February 10th, 1896.

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California—"Richard III."
Alcazar—"Faust."
Tivoli—"Der Freischutz."
Morosco's—"Wife for Wife."
Columbia—"The Old Lime Kiln."
Orpheum—High Class Vaudeville.
Grove Street—"Two of a Kind."

SATURDAY.....FEBRUARY 22, 1896.

An official statement has recently been made of the cost of that great engineering work the Kiel Canal, which shows the reaching point to have been some $39,000,000. It is about 61 miles long, 20 feet deep at dead low water, and 229 feet wide in numerous places the width increasing to some 428 feet, to allow the largest vessels to pass each other, and work will be continued until vessels of any depth can pass at low water. The embankment is stone-lined to a depth of six feet below the water; and the locks at the North Sea end of the canal are said to be the largest in the world, with the exception of that at Bremerhaven. Two bridges span it at a height of 137 feet above the water, and there are also six opening bridges and sixteen ferries.

The State of New York has just enacted a retaliatory insurance law. The bill excludes from New York State all foreign insurance corporations whose countries do not admit American insurance companies and it was enacted as a blow against the Prussian companies in consequence of Prussia's expulsion of the life companies of that city. The bill was supposed to exclude two companies, the Aachen and Munich and the Prussian National, but Weed & Kennedy, the American agents of the Aachen and Munich, say that their company has the right of hailing from Bavaria, so that the retaliatory bill will not affect them. It works the hardest against the Prussian National. Insurance men, both fire and life, hope that since the bill has become a law Prussia will come to its senses and readmit the rejected American life companies, which would settle the whole controversy.

While there is a prospect that the Rontgen discovery of X rays will be turned to good account in surgery, there is danger that it may lead to some abuses. This important statement is made by the professor: "There are many arts and sciences to which Prof. Rontgen's discovery will be of greater value than surgery. Its application to surgery will lead to many abuses. Everybody who has a bullet or other foreign object in his body expects it to be found by the new method and wishes to have it removed.

"After many years of practice in peace and war, I maintain that foreign objects, the presence of which in the body is not a source of trouble or danger, ought to be left where they are. The consciousness of having an extra bit of lead, for instance, in one's body, especially when it causes no inconvenience, does not in the least counterbalance the danger of the operation necessary for its removal, especially is this the case in war."

The Congregational Church Building Society is in a fair way to receive one of the largest bequests ever made to that society. The basis of this statement is furnished by the Inter-Ocean. A million dollars for benevolences, especially these hard times, doesn't grow on every bush. Mr. Joseph Henry Stickney of Baltimore is the broad-minded and large-hearted man who, at his death, distributed a fortune of about $1,000,000 among some forty different societies, associations, colleges and other institutions. Mr. Stickney was of Massachusetts birth an ardent believer in the Congregational faith and order, and a life-long enthusiast in the matter of perpetuating the spirit and memory of the Pilgrim Fathers. According to the dispatch from Baltimore to the Inter-Ocean a large number of colleges in the interior and West and one or two missionary educational societies in Chicago were remembered in the munificent bequest. The residuary legatee under the will, it appears, is the Congregational Church Building Society, which, it is expected, will receive not less than $100,000.

Conspiracy to Extort Money.

Whatever else may be disclosed in the Brown case, it is clearly established that a conspiracy had been formed to extort money both from the accused and from many other persons. Some of them paid and some did not. There were at least three women engaged in the infamous business, and possibly more. One rich man was lied to the tune of $5,500. The greatest pains had been taken to conceal his name. If all the men who have been blackmailed in San Francisco would admit the fact there would be a small army of victims.

The testimony thus far employed to convict the accused has been, with one exception, the testimony of persons engaged in committing a series of felonies. If the Stockton woman in her evidence did not put the finishing touches on her own career, Judge Campbell certainly did. It might have been done somewhat at his own expense. He is the Judge of a criminal court, and though he took questionable means to find out the character of the Stockton woman, he laid bare one of the most infamous conspiracies to extort money and destroy character that has ever been made public in this vicinity. Dr. Brown may have many things to explain which do not now make on their face for his good reputation. But the conspirators are just now showing their hands in a way that must make his strongest case.

Where the Fool-Killer Was Needed.

President Jordan makes in his popular lecture a great many good points for the fool killer. The trouble is that he does not get in his work promptly. Thus, out there in Kansas, he has been neglectful of his duty. The Populists ran away with the State, and the fool killer looked on until they had done the mischief. The Sun cites some facts from the recent report of the Railway Commission of Kansas for 1895:

"It shows that, notwithstanding the improvement in many lines of commercial business in 1895 as compared with the preceding year, there was a decline of $10,000,000 in the gross receipts of the Kansas railroads. Of the twenty-six railroads reporting to the Railway Commissioners of the sunflower State, only two earned enough to pay even a nominal dividend on the capital invested. Thirteen of the twenty-six railroads are, as the report shows, insolvent, and in the hands of receivers.

"Not only has railroad building in that State been stopped, but the number of miles in operation was actually less at 1895 than in 1894, and less in 1894 than in 1893. There is no other State in the Union that shows a like retrogression, and while much of it is attributable to natural causes, the main damage has been wrought by the Populists. There is no security of property in Kansas; and her whole policy for years has steadily inclined toward confiscation, so far as speculative capital was concerned. The result has been the withdrawal of all capital that could be withdrawn and the paralysis of all new industries and new enterprises. It has been an expensive and a salutary lesson, but it is doubtful if it be even fully learned by that deluded commonwealth."

Kansas instead of gaining population, has lost 75,000 of its inhabitants in the last five years. These facts are a striking commentary on the political rule of that State for the last few years. The great practical experiment of the Populists was made in Kansas. The record of maladministration only suffices from the records in other States when the same party has been uppermost for a time, in the extent of disastrous results.

For the Day.

One of the great holidays of the year has been accentuated today with more than the usual emphasis. The memory of Washington is the legacy of the Nation. At no former time has his character been dearer to the hearts of the people. This tendency to give, as it were, a stronger demonstration of love and veneration for the greatest character in American history, is in the right direction. There is a stronger inclination to think of him as an American, and to accentuate every word he ever uttered that goes to illustrate that view of his character.

It is not to be forgotten that Washington had the friendship and aid of many illustrious foreigners. Lafayette was a patriot after his own heart. What satisfied the great American leader was devotion to his country. It made little difference to him where a man was born, so that he was willing to stake all his interests for the welfare of the country. The man who is an American in that sense, sinks all the minor considerations of birth and residence for a time in foreign countries. If he is a true citizen he will love the country of his adoption better than any other in the world.

There has been a strong tendency of late years to convert a great many American youths into foreigners. Children are taken over to Europe by ambitious mothers to be educated. They learn to speak two or three foreign tongues better than their own. In time it turns out that they have no country—that is, no strong love of the land of their birth. Patriotism is not an inbred virtue. They are not proud of their own country because they have found so much to minister to effeminate ways abroad. It is timely on such a day to accentuate American citizenship. The ideal of that citizenship is a love of country which allows no other to have the first place. That is the one thought which the anniversary today accentuates above all others.

The human book worm has been caricatured many times. He is a harmless character who treats books leniently, but sometimes forgets to return them. The New York Evening Post cites this instance. Mr. Austin, an assistant librarian, in cataloguing the fine Dante collection presented to Cornell University by Prof. Willard Fiske, found some live book worms in an edition of the Divine Comedy bearing the date MDXXXVI. This is the third time only that these rare insects have been found in an American library. Carefully removing the worms, which were eating from front to back, and had only reached the front pages of the inferno, Mr. Austin took them to Prof. Comstock of the entomological department. There, after making sure that they were genuine book worms, they were developed and having secured the beetles, they were bred from until there were sufficient eggs, book worms, and beetles for the University museum, and enough more to make Mr. Austin a present of a good-sized vial full of each.

The latest improvement in the X rays has been made by Edison, according to this announcement, sent out from Orange, N. J.

"Thomas A. Edison today made pictures with the Roentgen X rays, exposing the sensitive plate, and objects to be photographed before the fluorescent tube for only one minute. The distance between the tube and the plate was only four inches. The inventor said that had he placed them as closely together as possible, he could he thought have secured a shadow photograph in a few seconds. Ordinarily it has required fifteen minutes to three hours to secure good results by all the experiments except Mr. Edison's, who had already reduced the time of exposure to two minutes."

The first point has been gained for the proposed ship canal from the Lakes to the Hudson River. The House Committee on Railways and Canals has ordered a favorable report on the bill of Mr. Chickering of New York, directing the Secretary of War to cause to be made accurate surveys, examinations, and final estimates of cost of construction of a ship canal by the most practicable route wholly within the territory of the United States, from the great lakes to navigable waters of the Hudson River, of sufficient capacity to transport the tonnage of the lakes to the sea. An appropriation sufficient to enable the survey to be made is authorized.

An Astonishing Sequel of Crime.

When the two boys, Majors and Wilmore, were arrested in this city for a series of burglaries, everybody was astonished that two youngsters should be so old in crime. Where did they get their training? In what school had they been taught to become such experts? It now comes out that they had been trained by a woman, the mother of one of the boys. Mrs. Wilmore is now in jail accused of having a guilty knowledge of these burglaries and of inspiring the young men to lead criminal lives. There are bad women who can go to any extent in evil courses, but it is seldom that one hears of a mother who has deliberately trained her own children as criminals.

It may be a mitigating circumstance in the case of Majors and Wilmore that they were induced to go wrong by the Wilmore woman. It was in her school of crime that they were taught. If heredity had something to do with this evil course, it is now apparent that environment and examples had much more influence. When a mother, and a professedly religious woman, opens a school of crime in her own home, what can be expected of the children? This second story is far worse than the first one.

These Winter Days.

February thus far has been an ideal month. There were a few frosty mornings but as the days lengthened the frost disappeared. Three weeks and more of sunshine, with days so warm that no fires were required in houses, save for kitchen purposes. This warm season has brought out a profusion of buds and blossoms. Almond trees in blossom everywhere for the last two weeks. Acacia trees are in golden blooms, peach and pear trees pushing out their buds, and every rose garden becoming fragrant in the winter season!

A weather prophet who has "diagnosed" the season affirms that March will be a howling month. He insists that such sunny days in February will be balanced, as it were, by the fierce blasts of March. Rainy, sloppy weather must come. All weather is good, if one only knows how to enjoy it. These February days will compensate for the storms of March.

EVENTS OF THIS DATE.

A Daily Resume of History for Your Scrap Book.

On February 22d of the years named occurred the following important events in the world's history:

HOLIDAYS.

Saints Thalassius, Linnaeus, Baradet, Margaret. Legal holiday in all States except Arkansas, Iowa and Mississippi.

BIRTHS.

1723—Richard Price, satirist.
1732—George Washington.
1735—Charles, Duke of Richmond.
1756—Gilbert Wakefield, classical scholar.

DEATHS.

1371—David II, of Scotland.
1512—Amerigo Vespussi.
1609—Frederick I, of Tuscany.
1639—Frederick Ruysch, anatomist.
1806—James Barry, painter.
1815—Smithson Tennant, chemist.
1816—Dr. Adam Ferguson, historian.
1845—Rev. Sidney Smith.
1867—Daniel Devlin, New York.
1875—Sheppard Knapp, New York.
1875—Sir Charles Lyell, London.
1878—Prof. Albert Smith, Peterboro, N. H.
1884—Samuel Morse.
1885—Gen. Horace Capron, Washington, D. C.
1885—Francis Samuel Drake, Washington, D. C.
1886—Rev. Dr. E. E. Cummings, Concord, N. H.
1890—John Jacob Astor.

OTHER EVENTS.

1813—British capture Ogdensburg.
1819—Treaty with Spain concluded.
1837—Jane and Margaret lost off Isle of Man; 206 lives.
1847—Battle of Buena Vista.
1856—American National Convention at Philadelphia, Pa.
1862—First Confederate Congress succeeds the Provisional.
1862—Jefferson Davis inaugurated President of the Confederate States for six years.
1865—Wilmington, N. C., captured by Gen. Schofield.
1866—President Johnson denounces Congress and the Reconstruction Committee in a speech at the Executive Mansion.
1868—Mr. Stanton refuses to vacate, and has Mr. Thomas arrested and held to bail.
1872—National Prohibition Convention at Columbus, Ohio, nominate James Black for President and John Russell for Vice President of the United States.
1877—Hon. John Walsh is presented with check for $50,000, which he gives to University of Pennsylvania.
1878—National Greenback party organized at Toledo, Ohio.
1884—Surrender of Tokai, Egypt, to the rebels.
1884—Funeral services in New York at the Church of the Holy Trinity for the victims of the Jeannette Arctic expedition.
1885—United States Marshal Gosling killed by prisoners in Texas.
1887—Opening of the Franklin Club building in Baltimore.
1887—Resignation of Hon. John Sherman as President of the Senate and election of Senator Ingalls to the chair.
1887—Dr. E. Smith Von Tavera appointed Austrian Minister to United States.
1889—Act dividing Dakota into two States passed the Senate.
1892—First Continental Congress of the National Society of the Daughters of the Revolution opened in Washington.
1893—City of New York and City of Paris transferred from British to American registry.
1893—President Harrison hoists American flag on New York.

HUMOROUS.

First Farmer—Has the lawsuit between you and Heysede been settled?

Second Farmer—Yes; and so are the lawyers.

"How do you mean?"

"They're settled on our farms."—Philadelphia Record.

Lady of the House—Would you be willing to work if you had a chance?

Wary Willy—How remote is the chance?—Puck.

First Clerk—Does your guv'nor ever tell you fellows funny stories?

Second Clerk—No; but we have to laugh just the same.—Amusing Journal.

Willie—I knew you were coming tonight.

Castleton—Why, Willie?

Willie—Sister has been asleep all the afternoon.—New York Truth.

A.—Political economy is a ticklish subject. A man has to be wide-awake to understand all about it. For instance, the very ideas of capital and labor——

B.—Look here! that is simple enough. Supposing I borrow 20 marks from you; that would represent capital.

A.—To be sure.

B.—Then after a while you would be trying to get your money back. That would be labor.—Zeitgeist.

A clerical error. A prolonged prosy sermon.—Congregationalist.

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NOTES AND EXCERPTS.

Portugal will celebrate next year the four hundredth anniversary of Vasco da Gama's setting out on his voyage round the Cape of Good Hope to India.

At the forthcoming wedding in Portland the groom will promise to love, honor and obey his wife, who is a woman suffragist, and made her affianced agree to this.

The Connecticut State Prison directors have decided to detain George A. Minor, a convict, for twenty-five years after his present term of four years expires in March next. This is the first enforcement of the incorrigible law, which permits the directors to detain any prisoner who has served three terms of not less than two years each in the state prison. Minor began his criminal career thirty-six years ago. He has served eight sentences in the state prison, three since the passing of the law.

When Queen Victoria and Empress Eugenie are together they spend all their spare time in doing needlework for the poor. Both the Queen and the ex-Empress are fond of the old-fashioned style of embroidery. The Queen bestows all her handiwork upon her poor tenants at Balmoral and at Windsor. The Empress Eugenie sends hers to poor convents, whence it is distributed to the needy.

A new system of packing butter which does away with cold chambers is being tried in Australia. The butter is packed in cubical boxes made of glass, the joints being covered with adhesive grease-proof paper. The boxes vary in size, holding from one pound to two hundred pounds. When a box is filled it is covered with a quarter of an inch of plaster of Paris, and this with prepared paper or canvas. The plaster, being a non-conductor of heat, preserves the hermetically sealed butter.

MENU FOR TOMORROW.

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 23RD.

BREAKFAST

Fruit

Wheatlet — Sugar and Cream
Mutton Chops — Potato Cakes
Waffles — Coffee

DINNER

Consomme
Roast Beef
Browned Sweet and White Potatoes
Cauliflower — Peas
Lettuce Salad
Waters — Celery — Cheese
Iced Rice Pudding
Stuffed Dates — Bon Bons
Coffee

SUPPER

Lobster Salad
Lettuce Sandwiches
Sliced Oranges — Cake
Chocolate

After your dinner go to the Macdonough Bar (Fred. Ch. Poock) and get a creme de menthe—the best after dinner drink on earth.

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The Chicago Limited via Santa Fe Route.

A new train throughout is now running daily between California and Chicago, equipped with Pullman's newest sleeping cars, chair cars and dining cars.

The Santa Fe route also maintains a line of tourist sleeping cars leaving daily from Oakland to Chicago without change.

Personally conducted tourist excursions to Kansas City, Chicago, New York and Boston leave Oakland Wednesday, December 18 and 25, and January 1, 8, 15, 22, and 29.

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It is seldom an opportunity that will be offered on Monday, February 24, 1896, and following days, presents itself to the public. The fact is we have over 200 lots in the Warner, Moss, Fairview and Highland Tracts and which must be sold regardless of price.

The terms have been made so easy that any man, woman or child who has the capacity to earn money can easily lay aside $1 per week. That is not so much, if put into the Savings Bank will only amount to $52 per year. One or two dollars judiciously invested in land that is constantly increasing in value, will eventually lead to a fortune. The whole people of California now realize that land values are on the eve of a great advance.

While we take pleasure to announce to the public that we will offer this elegant property, located in the midst of fine improvements, we regret at the same time that we are compelled to make the sacrifice of the same that we will on February 24th and following days.

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The property located in the Warner Tract consist of over 100 lots in the first and second blocks of the Electric Road, the very cream of the Tract, and is within ten minutes ride to the City of Oakland and fifty minutes of San Francisco. There is sold in this Tract alone over 40 lots to bona fide purchasers. Over 300 new houses have been built in this district within the past three years; an elegant public school building costing $15,000 has been erected; a magnificent hotel, business houses, places of worship, streets graded, city water, in fact every convenience at your front door.

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If you do not make an investment for yourself or children in property that will double before paid for, it will not be our fault, we have presented you with the opportunity. Call early, select choice location, see the property before the 24th as no lot will be sold before that date. Full particulars at our office,

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[illegible]

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.

[illegible]

[illegible]

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. P[illegible] have been visiting friends in [illegible]

Miss Grace Carr[illegible] has returned from a visit to Sacramento.

H. A. [illegible] among the visitors at Santa Cruz last week.

[illegible] went up to Petaluma several days ago [illegible]

Miss Mabel Gray has been visiting Mrs. J. W. Churchill of [illegible]

[illegible] went up to Modesto this week to install the officers of a lodge.

[illegible]

M. J. Kelly will leave today for New York and other Eastern cities. He will be gone about a month.

Professor [illegible], well known here, has been engaged as instructor of the Grass Valley Athletic Club.

Mrs. Alfred Kelley of Petaluma is the guest of her niece, Mrs. F. A. Mill[illegible] of Seventh avenue, East Oakland.

Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] of Portland, Oregon, [illegible] visit to Mr. [illegible] mother, Mrs. Jones at Berkeley.

[illegible]

Miss [illegible] is visiting Mr. Smith of this city for two weeks.

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] Saturday.

[illegible]

[illegible]

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Marshall entertained the Pacific Coast Women's Press Club Thursday [illegible]

[illegible]

The Oakland Society Dancing Club gave a ball in College Hall Wednesday [illegible]

What it will do [illegible] advertisement in this paper.

A few of those $2.27 Portrait Frames still left at $1.25, $1.50 and $1.75. Won't last much longer, though. Chas B. Wells, 1113 Broadway.

A New Trial Wanted.

Notice of a motion for a new trial in the [illegible] case has been filed in the Superior Court by Attorneys Moore and [illegible] for the Southern Pacific Company. They allege the verdict was excessive, not warranted by the evidence and given under the influence of passion and prejudice.

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SOCIETY NEWS

A Shadow of Silence Settling as a Result of Lent.

HOW THE SEASON ENDED.

Receptions, Dances and Quite a Number of House Parties.

GOSSIP OF THE SWELL SET.

"The Meddler" Reviews the Incidents of the Week.

As usual our brief little whirl of gaiety was succeeded by a dead calm. Did you ever know it to fail? It seems to me I never did. We are always in a state of unnatural inflation or complete collapse—just like a balloon—on the point of explosion or wrinkled and pulpy, exhaling our life breath in puffy little gasps. This has been the flabby week—the week of the Lancers. Lent has begun in quiet gray calm magnificence and we are all disconsolate in consequence. But some of us will take a deal of beauty sleep during these forty days and forty nights and in consequence some cheeks that have begun to pale will blossom again like the rose. Not that Myra's ever got pale. Oh no. But some of the rest of us were not born so fortunately.

There has been little going on. Belle Mhoon was at pretty blonde Helen Foss' dainty jonquil and violet luncheon at the University Club on Monday. She was the only Oaklander so favored. And we girls all love to lunch at the Varsity.

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An announcement in which we were all interested, although the parties were San Francisco people, was the engagement of Miss Mabel Love, who is pretty and charming and talented musically, to Lieutenant Churchill, U. S. N. She was going on the stage, you know, but now will be a sailor's bride. You must remember her well in that charming pantomime performance of the Mistletoe Bow at the California Theatre not long ago, wherein Harry Melvin took part. The date of the marriage is not yet announced.

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Our girls were in a furore musically quite without the tenor of their usual way. They have been attending the Symphony concerts with the ardor of devotees, and Monday night a great many Oaklanders in which the McNears set was prominent crossed the bay to attend the Saturday morning orchestra concert.

Most of the Oakland girls who used to play in the orchestra have withdrawn, most of them, it is true, in the [illegible] of marriage, but we have not forgotten that the charming aggregation of beauty and melody was born in the Tucker home when the place was bright with a quintet of girls, and before the bees went a-swarming each to occupy a hive of their own. And so we Oaklanders are always very much interested. The girls did charming ensemble work and played with considerable dash and spirit. In looks they were immensely attractive.

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Tom Paderewski is still a joy forever. The Oakland people have fallen off in attendance except the musical enthusiasts. Mr. Pl[illegible] Ashleigh has attended every recital. On Wednesday Mrs. Beatrice Priest Fine was there and the Hush girls with Mrs. Tom and Mrs. Will Magee had a box. They looked charming, of course, especially Mrs. Will in a very becoming cape of [illegible] and green mirror velvet.

Of course the [illegible] night will be a magnificent success financially, artistically and socially. Men have been [illegible] dollars saved for it and the fact that it is a holiday will enlarge the [illegible]. The men are [illegible] tensely restless pacing like lions in search of amusement on holidays. To tell the truth Paderewski does not amuse all men (except the musical ones, of course) as he charms and enchants all women. There is in his fibre that delicacy and refinement that appeals most to women and his playing—passionate, emotional, tender, appealing—strikes to their responsive souls.

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Mrs. Anna Cox Stephens will deliver a public lecture at the home of Mrs. Frank J. Moffit Friday, Feb. 28th, at 8 p. m. The subject of the lecture will be the [illegible] Poem of Finland, Kalevala. Mrs. Stephens is the only person who has ever translated this poem. She is a great authority on Norse mythology. Her husband was Gen. Stephens, who fought with the late Gen. Custer. Admission to the lecture will be 50 cents.

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It has been rather gay in Berkeley these later days. The Lenten solemnity there will be dense I do not doubt, they are ardent churchwomen, the Berkeleyites, and the men? On they are men.

Professor and Mrs. Charles Mills Gayley gave a Valentine party on the Friday evening we so joyfully and cheerfully devote to the patron of lovers—when boys prowl with jack o'lanterns parodying the sweet old theme and when maids hug tender sentiments to their hearts. There were forty-five of the elect of Berkeley society at this Valentine celebration. They were mostly married—almost everybody in Berkeley is married—but they chose valentines all the same and all was as loving as nesting birds. Everybody received a valentine as he or she entered. Then they exchanged, each lady reading aloud the tender sentiments in her cavalier's card and he performing the same pleasing service for her. It was very jolly. The decorations were hearts and cupids and bows as were the ices. The novelty of the idea was very taking. The Gayleys live in a house as like Shakespeare's in Stratford-on-Avon as possible. It is in North Berkeley in a scholastic environment, and the very eaves drip poetically. The Gayleys are very charming people and go out a great deal. Among their guests were the Kelloggs, the Bacons, the Suttons, the Boones, the Spears, and all the other best-known Berkeley families.

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On Monday Miss Spear gave a very large tea in honor of Mrs. Perrien. There were a great many there and the tea was pleasant.

On Tuesday Miss Head gave a sort of Mardi Gras tea. There were 150 guests and all sorts of maids, from old ones to gush ones, who passed the infinitisimal slices of cake, and brewed the mild beverage women are supposed to dote on.

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Mrs. Wheaton had her second at home on Tuesday and again 200 guests responded and wished her a pleasant good day. Mrs. Adams and Miss Sterrett again assisted the blooming hostess and lightened her duties.

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One of the most charming events of the week was the luncheon given to Mrs. Requa by Mrs. H. M. A. Miller, who is a sort of cousin to her. There were fourteen guests, all of them Mrs. Requa's close friends. She has been much entertained since her marriage and will shortly begin to repay their favors. What form the entertainment will take is not yet decided. It may take the form of a series of luncheons or dinners or even a ball, I do not know. At Mrs. Miller's were Miss Edith Lilienkrantz, Miss Luita Booth, Miss Miller, Miss Tucker, Miss Ethel Moore, Miss Mhoon, Miss Herrick and others.

There was a very pretty wedding at 272 Eighteenth street this week when Miss Blackburn was married to Mr. Stetson of Portland. They have gone to Oregon, their future home.

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On Wednesday Mrs. Grayson gave a second luncheon and rivaled the success of the violet function held two weeks ago. There were fourteen guests and a dainty and varied menu—somewhat more elaborate than the usual luncheon spread. I believe elderly ladies are better gourmands than young ones—they appreciate the niceties of cookery more than the delicacies of society.

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Mrs. Henshaw's dinner was a charming affair.

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Last Sunday evening there was a charming engagement party to celebrate the contract between Miss Millie Frank and Mr. Baum at the home of Miss Frank's sister, Mrs. Sol Greenwood. The engaged couple were assisted in receiving by the Misses Greenhood. The engaged couple were, as always these big Hebrew affairs. There were a great many San Franciscans present.

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On Monday evening Miss Minnie O'Neil gave a dancing party at her home in San Francisco. There were more Oakland people there than San Franciscans. Miss O'Neil was assisted in receiving by Miss Mamie Pope and Miss Blix Smith of East Oakland. Among the guests were numbered Mrs. John Albright, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Albright, J. J. Baumgartner, Miss Dora Goodsell, Miss Goodsell, Miss Edith Middleton, Miss Mabel Craft and Miss Dorety.

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On Thursday evening Miss Emma Sickels Marshall entertained the members of the Pacific Coast Women's Press Association at an informal reception at her new home near Telegraph Avenue. There were 115 guests and a very interesting musical programme was presented early in the evening. Miss Susie Hobart recited. Among the guests were Col. and Mrs. Dickinson, Mrs. Ada C. Van Pelt and many others.

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There was but a sprinkling of Oaklanders among the Mardi Gras revellers at the Hopkins mansion last Tuesday night. They were not nearly as many as I expected. Can it be, I wonder, that we do not care for gaiety in its cardinal form or is it—perish the thought—that we cannot raise the necessary $10 apiece? Kate Clement, the Houghtons, whom we no longer own, and the Tom Magees were almost our only representatives among that vast throng. It was a beautiful pageant. No description of it is left for me. But I can tell you, the sight of it well repaid the time and money. Some of the costumes were brilliant, effective and novel. The girls were masked and consequently brave. One never had the jolliest time. She came alone and danced with whomsoever she chose, for she was light of foot and heart. Men lavished champagne upon her and lo, at the stroke of the hour when the masks fell, she vanished, uttering an assumed name tauntingly over her shoulder—vanished like Cinderella, and no man knows whence. Mrs. Joe Tobin was the most exquisitely gowned of the women. She was La [illegible] in pink with a pink and white picture hat, nodding with plumes like dahlias in a garden, and a great bunch of St. Joseph's lilies fastened to the end of her directoire stick. She looked a picture.

There were several Oaklanders at Mrs. Clark Crocker's living pictures Thursday.

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Tonight the 6-0 club (men only, of course) hold their fifth anniversary dinner. That means sixty good dinners. The club used to patronize the Maison Doree. Now they are favoring the Poodle Dog.

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On Friday evening last the Friday Night club gave a Valentine Leap Year party. The first set in the cotillon was composed of the following: Miss Werner and Mr. Arthur Wa[illegible] led. Miss Mayhew and Mr. Hussy, Miss Nicholson and Mr. Cox, Miss Breiling and R. Russ, Miss Schutz and F. Russ, Miss Campbell and Mr. Powell, Miss Schuphman and Mr. Moore, Miss Morris and Mr. Redington, Miss Smith and Mr. Jackson, Miss Prather and W. Moore. The other dancers were Miss Fairchild and Mr. Wilkin, Miss Craig and Mr. Yates, Miss Otey and Mr. Robbins, Miss Wallace and Mr. Curtis, Miss Putnam and Mr. Wilcox, Miss Gemmel and Mr. Eaton, Miss Higby and Mr. Catton, Miss L. Rued and Mr. Holmes, Miss Reed and Mr. Oliver, Miss Dowdle and Mr. Dean, Miss Donnelly and Mr. Dawson, Miss Hayes and Mr. Brown, Miss Underwood and Mr. Wadleigh.

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Mr. and Mrs. Howard Gray are out of town on a fortnight's trip. They will return the middle of next week. Mr. May, Mr. and Mrs. Bray will drive to the Yosemite. They will be accompanied by Miss Blix Smith.

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Philip Bradbury and Miss Mayne Smith were married last Sunday evening at the residence of the bride's relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Rooch, 865 Eighteenth street. The guests were all intimate friends, among them Mrs. L. B. Ayres, Mr. and Mrs. Roach, Mrs. J. F. Creamer and daughter, Edward Smith, Mrs. Grace Mestayer, Frank Houpt, Miss Gladys Hount, Mr. and the Misses Campbell, Andrew Campbell and wife, Lieutenant Kennedy and brother, the latter acting as best man, and Miss Emma King of Sacramento, the bridesmaid.

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The Misses Galindo of Telegraph avenue gave a perfectly delightful barn party on Valentine's night. The guests were received in the house, but at 9 dancing began in the barn. It was a charming night for dancing. Among the guests were Miss Doyle, Miss White, Miss McDevitt, Miss Dozier, Miss Galindo, Miss Pressley, Miss Cushing, Miss Barner, Miss Dibert, Miss Connelly, Miss Riordan, Miss Barr, Miss McNamara, Mrs. Crafts, Miss Brouillet, Mr. Peralta, Mrs. Galindo, Dr. Milton, Dr. Taylor, Messrs. White, Crafts, Stiles, Reeve, Andor, San Pinas, Dibert, Dozier, Taylor, De Garmo, Mather, Miller, Baker, Bledsoe, Galindo, Tremlett, McElroy, Enright and Arrigalla.

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Miss Daisy Belle Sharpe, the pretty girl who acted with Charity Company this time, was given a testimonial at Y. M. C. A. hall, San Francisco, last Monday evening. She is going on the stage, you know, and will not be here again for a great while, as she goes East to accept an engagement. She has considerable histrionic talent and a very pretty face. She was assisted by Mabel Love, the Reliance Glee Club, Frank Coffin, Frank Belcher and the Treble Clef Quartette. Mr. Tilton did the accompaniments. Among the audience were many Oakland people prominent among them the two Remillards, who sent her three exquisite bouquets of violets on the occasion of her appearance at the Macdonough and almost came to blows according to the old rules, to see which should see her after the performance.

Mrs. C. P. Kennedy entertained the Thursday Evening Euchre Club at her home, 873 Jackson street, last week. Fifteen games were played, followed by refreshments. The members present were Miss M. Campbell, Miss L. Clough, Miss Grace Campbell, Miss F. Callahan, Miss F. Monnet, Miss N. Higby, Miss B. Callahan, Miss A. Lefevre, Miss Lizzie Tillson, Mrs. C. P. Kennedy, J. Jellet, F. W. Brooks, W. P. Griffith, C. S. Myrick, B. Dusinbury, C. Lefevre, Frank Buckley, H. Lefevre, D. Cornell.

Miss Campbell and Chester Myrick won the first prizes.

And now my little song must come to an end, dear Tribune. It is Washington's Birthday and there are bicycle races and a day-out-of doors in prospect. Isn't it the prettiest weather for February? A cheerful good day from

THE MEDDLER.

A DANCING PARTY.

Miss Horton gave a dancing party last night to her elder pupils and their friends in the lecture-room of the school, corner Twelfth and Filbert streets. The room was appropriately decorated with flags and national colors. It was the first of a contemplated series of dances to be given at the school. Frank Fletcher acted as manager.

Among those present, besides the students, were Misses Francis Irish, Nellie Humphreys, Sadie Whitney, Grace Gorill, Helen Gatthwaite, Sadie Hale, Viva Nichol on, Gertrude Allen, Ione Fore, Hattie Kittredge, Anita Wightman, Katherine Craven, Edith Simpson, Annie Pratt, Alice Webb, Gladys Clement, Bessie Eby, Gertrude Snow, May Coogan, Mary Henshaw, Elma Farnham and Wyntie Brodt; Messrs. Herbert Kellogg, Wallace Alexander, Clarence Cook, Graham Laws, Ralph Benler, Homer Parker, Roland Oliver, Ed Oliver, Allen Chickering, Harry Chickering, Tom Olney, Will Olney, Ed Nevell, Harold Harvey, Walter Starr, Lodie Simpson, Edgar Simpson, Arthur [illegible]asheira, John Irish, Jr., Orville Pratt, Rishworth Nicholson, Howard Baxter, Ben Reed, Sylva Farnham, Eugene Farnham, Howard Byxbee, Howard [illegible]us, Frank Hus, J. Earle, Russell Whitney and Harry Knox.

The musical comedy, "Open Session of the Influential Order of Chocolate Bonbons," given by the ladies of the Alameda Unity Circle Tuesday evening, was a grand success and quite an attraction. It was given in Lindeman's Opera House. Those taking part were dressed to represent bon-bons, as were also the ushers. Among the participants were Mrs. Byler, Miss Henn, Miss Lunt, Mrs. Holt, Mrs. Davis and Miss McCurrie.

The ladies of the Y. M. C. A. held their annual reception in the parlors of the association building, 1424 Franklin street last Tuesday afternoon. It was an enjoyable affair and well attended by many friends of the organization being present. The parlors were prettily decorated in greens and flowers by the young ladies. Care and taste were displayed and the large rooms looked very attractive.

During the afternoon an informal programme was rendered, to the enjoyment of those present. Addresses were also made.

Rev. James Curry opened the meeting with a prayer and Bible reading.

Dr. Kummer made a few remarks contrasting the position of the woman of to-day with that of the woman of years ago.

Mrs. P. D. Brown spoke of the Christian element in woman's work. Other addresses were made by Rev. Robert Ritchie, Mrs. Mills of Mills Seminary, Mrs. Van Kirk and Mrs. Chamberlain. Miss Irene Rutherford gave a piano solo and Miss Mabel Taylor and Miss Leckie played the guitar. Miss Florence Sharon sang sweetly "Good Bye, Sweet Day," and was accompanied by Miss Fore on the piano. Mrs. Hollock of Pagona sang "He Loves Me," and "The Holy City." Mrs. Carlton sang two solos, as did also Miss Rutherford.

Conversation followed, during which tea and light refreshments were served. Among those present were noticed Mrs. W. I. Reed, Mrs. David Rutherford, Mrs. C. Sadler, Mrs. J. J. Scotchler, Mrs. L. C. Selfridge, Mrs. W. E. Sharon, Mrs. N. A. Salter, Mrs. I. H. Thomas, Mrs. R. B. Thompson, J. J. Valentine, Dr. H. P. Van Kirk, Mrs. I. M. Johnson, J. A. Joyce, Mrs. Kales, Mrs. J. C. Kimball, Mrs. P. D. Browne, Mrs. S. G. Chamberlain, Mrs. A. Dow, Mrs. H. C. Mygatt, Mrs. H. G. Noyes, Mrs. J. M. Merrell, Mrs. William Kirk, Mrs. F. Wolfenden, Mrs. W. A. Jacobs, Mrs. Anson Barstow, Mrs. Gilbert L. Curtis, Mrs. D. W. C. Gaskill, Mrs. W. H. H. Graves, Mrs. George D. Gray, Mrs. J. P. Ames, Mrs. M. I. Lakey, Mrs. W. P. Lewis, Mrs. George Miller, Mrs. C. T. Mills, Mrs. T. W. Coogan, Mrs. F. A. Bashford, Mrs. M. K. Blake, Mrs. Albert Brown, Mrs. D. G. Buswell, Mrs. H. C. Crowell, Mrs. D. Carrick, Mrs. W. A. Childs, Mrs. S. Clisby, Mrs. Gilbert L. Curtis, Mrs. Thomas Crellin, Mrs. R. F. Coyle, Mrs. A. Dow, Mrs. J. A. Folger, Mrs. S. T. Alexander, Miss M. R. Babson, Miss Minnie Bailey, Mrs. W. H. Bailey, Mrs. M. [illegible]ddle Fenner, Mrs. William Gregory, Mrs. J. M. Hilstead, Mrs. A. C. Henry, Mrs. P. Hutchinson, Mrs. Pliny Bartlett, Mrs. M. S. Tillings, Mrs. W. A. Merriam, Miss Emily Raymond, Mrs. J. W. Beck, Mrs. George D. Gray, Mrs. Charles W. Fort, Mrs. M. P. Morris, Mrs. P. G. Buchanan, Mrs. Standeford, Mrs. William McGill, Mrs. E. P. Page, Miss E. M. Yorker, Mrs. W. A. Childs, Mrs. T. Crellin, Mrs. Stone, Mrs. O. C. Wheeler and Mrs. T. L. Horn.

THE MILLER LUNCHEON.

Mrs. H. M. A. Miller gave one of the prettiest luncheons of the season last Tuesday complimentary to Mrs. Mark Requa. It was what might be called a reunion of the Requa-Herrick wedding, the guests being of that pretty bridal party. They wore their pink bridesmaids dresses and large pink hats. The table was decorated with large sprays of apple blossoms. After the luncheon the guests adjourned in a body, each taking a sprig of apple blossoms, to Mrs. Wheaton's.

Among those invited to meet Mrs. Requa were, Miss Luita Booth, Miss Ethel Moore, Miss Nina Pringle, Miss Annie Herrick, Miss Evelyn Shepard, Miss Janet Watt, Miss Floy Brown, Mrs. Tom Magee.

THE WHEATON "AT HOME."

Mrs. Geo. Wheaton entertained a large number of friends at a tea at her home on Lake street Tuesday. The large house was beautifully decorated with wild flowers, the first eschscholtzias of the season making the house look warm and cheerful. The sunlight was not debarred but poured in at the windows.

The guests became so numerous that many sought the cool veranda and pleasure grounds. This emergency had been provided for. The porch was decked with flowers and kept cool by an awning.

Mrs. Wheaton made a charming hostess, as she always does. She was assisted by Mrs. Edson Adams and Miss Ella Sterrett. Besides these Mrs. Wheaton invited a few friends to spend the afternoon and help her entertain. Among these were Mrs. W. G. Henshaw, Miss Nellie Chabot, Miss Amy McKee, Mrs. Capt. Currier, Mrs. Milton Bulkeley, Mrs. J. E. McElrath, Miss Elsie McElrath, Mrs. J. H. Watkinson, Mrs. Robert Watt, Miss Janet Watt, Mrs. Victor Metcalf, Miss Allie Grimes, Mrs. Al Havens, Miss Havens, Miss Beatrice Steele, Miss Elsie Bennett.

LINCOLN STUDENTS DEBATE.

The pupils of the A ninth grade of the Lincoln school held an interesting debate last Monday in the school room.

The subject was, "Resolved, That the United States should not acquire any more territory." The way the subject was handled reflects great credit on the debaters and Miss Morgan, their teacher.

Miss Bessie Reed led for the affirmative, her assistants being Miss Marion Barney, Miss H. Bassett, E. Bendel, C. Lancaster, Miss Stella Hansen, and Victor Metcalf. The negative side was upheld by Ralph Street, leader, M. Samuels, Oliver Smith, Mary Cadagan, B. Garfield and Frank Graham. The critics were Miss Ella Fern and Clarke Sullivan.

Misses Dowling and Helen Clay and S. Sol, who acted as judges, decided in favor of the affirmative.

Frank Graham presented a pretty [illegible] to the class.

SIMPSON—BLACKBURN.

The wedding of J. L. Simpson of Portland and Miss Mary Gertrude Blackburn took place at the home of the bride's parents, 272 Thirteenth street, last Monday evening at 8 o'clock. It was a violet wedding, the idea being carried out in detail. The dining room was a mass of purple fragrance. A large bowl of violets formed the center piece of the table, while smaller bouquets and loose flowers were prettily arrayed about the table and room. The parlor was in green and yellow, acacia being used to artistic effect. The bay-window was banked with greens and from the arch suspended by white satin ribbon was a bunch of tea roses. Under this Dr. Locke, pastor of the First M. E. Church of Portland, performed the ceremony which made the happy couple one.

The bride looked beautiful in a gown of silver gray crepe de chine over white sateen. She wore real orange blossoms, and in her hand carried a bunch of violets.

Miss Ruth Sarginson of Portland acted as maid of honor and A. Bowers of San Francisco as best man.

After the wedding the guests repaired to the dining-room, where supper was served.

Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Blackburn, J. W. Blackburn, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Thompson of Portland, Mr. and Mrs. Weber, Mr. McCloud of Forest Grove, Miss Lillie Cable, Miss Birdie Cable, Miss Belle Allen, C. Barnes of Portland, Miss Gertie Mansfield, Charles Dirvan, George Furness, W. Jenkins and Mrs. John Sarginson.

The young couple met in Portland, where the bride has resided for some time. They came to Oakland that she might be married at home. They left Tuesday for Portland, where they will make their residence.

THE EMLAY TIN WEDDING.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Emlay celebrated their tin wedding Thursday at their home, 523 Thirty-sixth street. It was, indeed, a tin wedding, the presents of that metal being numerous and unique. The most comical was a large spoon about four feet in length and large in proportion. This, as other jokes, was received with good humor by Mr. and Mrs. Emlay, and the evening was most enjoyably spent. The couple received many congratulations and best wishes.

During the evening a delicious supper was served. Toasts and speeches were the order. After supper, dancing was resumed till a late hour.

Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ruedy, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Emlay, Mr. and Mrs. William Sohst,

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was recently awarded the first prize of $10,000 offered by the New York Herald for the best original story. His style is irresistible and once started any work of his is eagerly perused until the end is reached. Two of his best and latest efforts have just been placed on the market in one volume. They are Kildrum's [illegible] and A Strange Friend and lovers of romance will do well to obtain the book. (Street & Smith, New York, price 50 cents.)

Very few people realize how popular a flower the carnation has become. The consumption each winter in New York exceeds fifteen millions of cut flowers. The culture of carnations will be explained in Scribner's Magazine for March by J. H. Connelly. The illustrations are to be printed in color.

The Clarendon Press is about to issue a collection of the traditional hymns of the ancient Gaelic church in Scotland by Mr. Alexander Carmichael, of Edinburgh. Mr. Carmichael, who is in the Excise, is a very learned Celt, with an extensive acquaintance with the old customs of the Western Isles.

The Chicago Open Court (No. 441) published the first half of a reproduction of [illegible] work in this country. The current number (442) offers material of equal interest. Through Mr. Bonney, President of the World's [illegible] the editors have obtained translations of all the letters written by the most prominent Catholic prelates and divines of France to Abbe Charbonnel regarding the advisability of holding a second Religious Parliament in Paris in 1900.

A story of adventure rich in description, vivid in romance and entertaining in every little detail. Such is [illegible] summing up of The Sea Wolves by Max Pemberton, which has just made its appearance in the literary market. There has been gathered [illegible] from the field of historical romance material such as will delight the lover of an exciting story and the episodes of Spanish turmoil are full of life and action. [illegible] the work will [illegible] acceptable. (50 cents. Rand, McNally & Co., Chicago.)

When The Duchess writes a book there is a large percentage of people [illegible] every lover of [illegible] knows that it will be good. In A Point of Conscience [illegible] story of fashionable life is told. It is the usual [illegible] of polite society, but it is done in such an admirable way that the frivolities and glitter [illegible] of existence take on [illegible] The scenes [illegible] London and the nobility of course play a prominent part. (Cloth, $1. J. B. Lippincott Co., Philadelphia.)

A second series of Irish Idylls has been [illegible] by Jane Barlow and the deserved success that attended the [illegible] similar work from her pen will undoubtedly [illegible] for a more charming set of sketches of Irish life [illegible] They reproduce the [illegible] and tenderness of the Irish [illegible] with the wit and peculiarities of the high Emerald Isle. The titles of a few of the idylls give a general idea of the nature of the book. They are Jerry Dunne's Bas[illegible] Mrs. [illegible] Cloak, A Journey [illegible] Quare One, Mr. [illegible] and Mad Bell. (With [illegible] $1.25 Dodd, Mead & Co., New York.)

Godey's Magazine for March is filled with matter that is timely, beautiful and interesting. Perhaps the most [illegible] are two biographical articles on The Life of Cecil Rhodes and the other [illegible] The Senorita of the Sword being [illegible] of Jaguar [illegible] the Spanish American sword woman who has defeated the cracks of the United States and English [illegible] who will represent America in the Olympic games this spring. The achievements of this woman have been little heralded, and many Americans will be glad to read of their remarkable champion. A Writer on the [illegible] and Lumbering in the Adirondacks is seasonable and the features appealing especially to women [illegible] Club Houses for Women, Miss Mary A. Proctor's experience as an astronomer and lecturer and the Fashion Department.

With the March issue the Atlantic Monthly begins two important series of papers. The [illegible] is the first of the promised articles on Race Characteristics in American Life. Under the general heading, the Case of the Public Schools, the Atlantic will discuss the payment and standing of teachers throughout the country. Over ten thousand teachers have been requested to contribute information as the basis of these papers. The first, The Witness of the Teacher, by G. Stanley Hall, President of Clark University, Worcester, Mass., appears in this issue.

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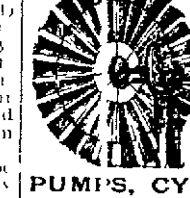

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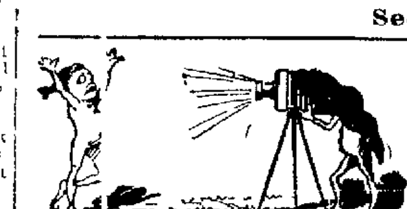

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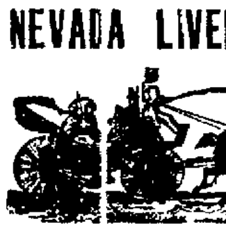

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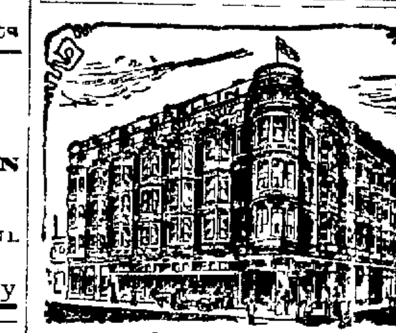

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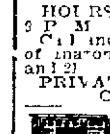

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At the synagogue of the First Hebrew Congregation last night, Julius Abrahamson, the energetic and capable President of the society, delivered an interesting lecture before a large and appreciative audience. To the varied talent which Mr. Abrahamson has displayed in his duties in connection with his present position regarding the synagogue with which he has been credited must now be added those of lecturer because his effort on the rostrum was a pronounced success.

The subject of the discourse was "Religious Enthusiasm."

"Enthusiasm," he said, "makes difficulties easy if it does not even deny their existence. If we were to go back to the root of the world we would find that it means 'possessed of God,' recalling the old belief that the divinity entered into the body of the individual that it would move, making it a passive agent of its purpose. The old words still live, though the old beliefs have died, or rather they have become modified into metaphors. Enthusiasm still has for us almost all its original sense and we still feel that the man enthused is the man God-possessed. The divinity is upon him and within him. It is impelling him, raising him above his ordinary self and ordinary capacities. So you can observe that genius is rarely discouraged for often the magnitude of the serious difficulties kindles a corresponding enthusiasm that comes with yet greater force by the impetus of resistance. When the Great Napoleon learned that large mountains were to bar his progress he said, 'There Are No Alps.' But one of his generals said, 'Impossible to cross.' 'Impossible,' he said, 'is a word known only in the dictionary of fools.'"

The lecturer then showed the distinction between enthusiasm and zeal and asserted that there is a glad ring in the voice of the man of enthusiasm and a harsh grating note in the voice of zeal. "The earnestness of a zealous man may often lead him to the bigotry of fanaticism, for it sows the same root as jealousy."

"The Hebrew has ever been an optimist. His heart was full of hope and even persecution could never quite kill it. But the historian calls the life of the Jew of the middle ages A fifteen hundred years' tragedy, but strange to say, the Jew himself was blissfully unaware of it. The Jew never feared God. He trusted him too implicitly. He felt too near Him, too certain of His protection.

"The prophets of old were oftener zealous than they were enthusiastic. In that respect they differ from the so-called prophets of today. The prophets of today, called rabbis, are such in whom divine enthusiasm and cheer bubbles forth as a perennial spring. They take the scoffer by the hand and many times also by the pocket and make him a worshipper. Furthermore, the minister is not only a rabbi, a teacher, but he is also a preacher. He points out the path of right by all the force of his eloquence and fervor, shows them the glory of duty and the horror of sin. This is the highest function as well as the hardest of the rabbi.

"Enthusiasm need not be demonstrative, but, if the gleam of faith enlightens the face so that it shines, and if the eyes, those windows of the soul, tell us with their calm and trustful look that all is well within then all is well indeed. All the struggles of life cannot move it from its confidence in God and God alone. Then we have enthusiasm in its purest and exalted form."

Mr. Abrahamson then made a fervid appeal to his hearers in behalf of the children of the Sabbath school.

Pointers From Piedmont.

PIEDMONT, Feb. 22.—The Boys' Bible class gave an entertainment at Oak Chapel last night.

The people of Piedmont are talking of having a morning worship. Sunday school will follow and the evening will be for the Christian Endeavor.

The Gas Company has laid its pipes as far as Lionel street.

Earle Mather is sick with rheumatism.

Fish City, which belongs to the State of Michigan, is a peculiar place, with a water flavor; has no existence in summer, but is a busy place in winter; is not built on land, yet has nothing to do with boats. The ice of Saginaw bay is used as a foundation for the city every winter and the town is occupied by men and their families, who catch, clean and pack whitefish and lake trout for the market. It is built in the same cove every winter, the houses being constructed of rough pine boards. It had a population of nearly 300 in the winter of 1893-94, nearly twice that number last winter, and this season the population has taken another jump forward.

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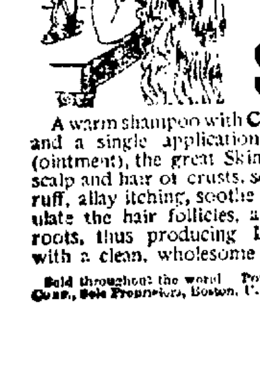

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SOCIETY NEWS.

(Continued from page 5.)

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Fiese, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sohst, the Misses Bertha Reier, Lizzie Eggers, Clara Haelke, Kate Eggers, Sophie Sohst, Ida Mosch, Roselle Emlay, Aileen Emlay, Nellie Sohst, Julia Koch, Louise Emlay, Alice Sohst, Bertha Ruedy; Messrs. Louis Aitken, George Eggers, William Sohst Jr., Arthur Dibert, Joseph Bouquet, Henry Ruedy Jr., George Upton, Alphonse Brehm and Carl Sohst.

THE PRESBYTERIAN CONCERT.

The choir of the First Presbyterian church gave a concert last evening, which was a great success and was well attended.

The following programme was rendered:

Organ Solo "Fanfare"....J. Lemmens
Miss V. De Fremery.

Soprano Solo, "The Secret of the Lilies" .... G. F. Cobb
Mrs. Maude Berry Fisher.

Harp Solo, "Chimes of Sydney"....
.... Marquardt
Mme. Alexandra Breitschuck-Marquardt.

Contralto Solo, "Because I Love You" .... Chadwick
Mrs. Chas. Dickman.

Organ solos—
(a) Pastorale opus 2...F. de la Tombelle
(b) Toccata, from 5th organ symphony .... C. M. Widor
Miss V. De Fremery.

Part 2—A. R. Gaul's Holy City.

Chorus and Tenor Solo—"No Shadows Yonder."

Tenor Solo—"My Soul is Athirst for God."

Chorus "They That Sow in Tears."

Contralto Solo—"Eye Hath Not Seen."

Chorus—"For Thee, Oh Dear, Dear Country."

Baritone Solo and Chorus—"A New Heaven and a New Earth."

Double Chorus—"Let the Heavens Rejoice."

Soprano Solo—"These Are They Which Come Out of Great Tribulation."

Chorus for Female Voices—"List, the Cherubic Host;" Baritone Solo—"I Heard the Voice of Harpers."

Chorus—"Great and Marvelous Are Thy Works."

The solos were sung by Mrs. M. B. Fisher, Mrs. Chas. Dickman, Mr. Thos. Rickard and Benj. Clark.

A VIOLET LUNCHEON.

The "violet luncheon" given by the Misses Alice and Della Tobriner at their residence, 766 Ninth street, Friday afternoon, was an enjoyable affair. The guests of honor were the five recently engaged young ladies, Miss Estelle Cohn, Miss Ermine Greenhood, Miss Melita Frank, Miss Della Craner of San Francisco and Miss Jennie Lachman of Reno, Nev. The spacious parlors were tastefully decorated with violets in great profusion. Misses Alice and Della Tobriner, gracefully assisted by Leah Harris, received. The costumes worn by the hostesses were violet. In the skillful game entitled "Heart and Arrow," Miss Rose Levy won the first prize, a very handsome present. The booby prize was captured by Miss Ray Landecker. Vocal selections were rendered by Miss Juliette Levy and Miss Ray Landecker.

Those present were: Misses Estelle Cohn, Ermine Greenhood, Melita Frank, Cella Abrahamson, Leah Harris, Emma Scheeline, Fannie Bernheim, Becky Phillips, Anna Hartman, Rose Leavy, Nettie and Belle Hirshberg, Lucy Peres, Lillie Cohen, Jennie Rosenberg, Della and Alice Tobriner; San Francisco, Misses Ray and Belle Landecker, Adele Tobriner, Juliette Levy, Della Craner, Rose Harris, Gertie Rosenfeld, Mrs. Mark Frank, Mrs. Bert Altmayer and Miss Jennie Lachman of Reno.

THE M'CORMICK BENEFIT.

Company A, Fifth Regiment, N. G. C., gave an entertainment and hop Thursday evening at Armory Hall. It was given for the benefit of J. B. McCormick, who has been ill for some time. McCormick's popularity was shown by the large attendance and a neat sum was raised in his behalf.

The following programme was rendered: "Fun in a Doctor Shop," members of Company A; violin solo, Llewen Hughes; quartette solo, Company A Quartette; recitation (selected), Miss Camille Kelley; trombone solo, John Laughland; Change Manual, Companies A and F; recitation, Raymon Whitaker; specialties, Winnie McDonald; whistling solo, Miss Lillian Ida Garlish; accompanied by Miss Edith Garlish; recitation, George W. Calvert; specialties, Miss Jennie and Flossie Sawyer; double trapeze, F. B. Cooke, H. F. Kilborne, Acme Club; Silent Manual by Sergeant Dowlin's squad, members of Company A.

At the conclusion of the musical and literary exercises dancing was indulged in.

UNLUCKY THIRTEEN.

The "unlucky thirteen" has proved false to its name again, by being once more in luck. This time the good fortune took the form of a four-in-hand drive through Golden Gate Park. The members of the club were the guests of one of their number, Miss Emma Mahoney. They went to San Francisco in a body last Friday, and after the drive stopped at Mrs. Austin's, where they were pleasantly entertained.

Among those who enjoyed the drive were: Miss Mary Whitney, Miss Carrie Ritter, Miss Ethel Kittredge, Miss Gail Converse, Miss Lilian Strong and Miss Marguerite Jolliffe.

SENIORS ENTERTAINED.

Miss Anna Head of Head's Seminary, Berkeley, gave a pleasant tea at the school Tuesday, to the seniors and alumni. The large house was beautifully decorated with flowers and wild ferns and greens. A sumptuous dinner was served, over which the young ladies made merry.

Last Saturday the middles entertained the seniors, by giving a ball in their honor.

THE DEXTER CONCERT.

Mrs. Carrie Brown Dexter will give a concert next week on the 25th. The ushers have been chosen from Mrs. Dexter's girl friends and are Misses Edith L. Larkey, Eunice Holmes, Annie Reed, Ella Brown and Georgie Cope. Among those who are taking very active interest in advancing the interests of the concert are Madame Wendte, Mrs. John Russ, Mrs. E. M. Hall, Mrs. E. A. Kluegel, Mrs. W. G. Henshaw, Mrs. Wm. Morris, Mrs. S. P. Hall, Mrs. Chas. D. Pierce, Mrs. Hayward G. Thomas, Miss Abbie L. Grant, Mrs. Dr. Lilienkranz, Mrs. B. F. Dunham, Rev. C. W. Wendte.

A CHINA WEDDING.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert B. Daniels celebrated their China wedding Thursday evening. A score or more friends gathered at the Daniels home in Piedmont to do honor to the occasion. Among them were Mr. and Mrs. Albert Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Z. T. Gilpin, Mr. and Mrs. George Patterson, Mr. Henry Dalton, Mrs. Ada Hughes, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Craig, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Wilkins, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Boynton, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Kercheral, Mr. and Mrs. D. Rutherford, Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Clark, Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Loring, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. George Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Webb N. Pearce, Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Button and Miss Alice Swasey.

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A DONATION PARTY.

The Ladies' Relief Society of West Oakland gave a Donation party last Monday evening at Fraternity Hall, corner Seventh and Peralta streets. The following programme was admirably rendered:

Instrumental duet ....
Misses M. Kavanaugh and S. Flanagan.

Opening address ....
Rev. J. B. McNally.

Tenor solo ....
Mr. James B. Lane.

Specialties ....
Mr. H. Coleman.

Contralto solo ....
Miss Kate O'Neil.

Recitation ....
Mr. Raymond Whittaker.

Vocal solo ....
Mr. W. Claire Wilson.

Recitation ....
Mr. Osborne.

Vocal duet ....
Misses Louise and Kate O'Neil.

Recitation ....
Mr. Ed McManus.

Piano solo ....
Miss S. Flanagan.

The entertainment was in every way a great success and the ladies wish to thank the talent and all their friends who helped to make it so.

LOGAN—BOEHMER.

The wedding of Miss Emma Boehmer, youngest daughter of Freitz Boehmer of Alameda, and Chas. W. Logan of Oakland was celebrated at the home of the bride's parents, 2319 Central avenue, Alameda, last Saturday evening, Rev. G. R. Dodson of the First Unitarian church officiated.

Miss Alma Boehmer, sister of the bride, was bridesmaid, and the Misses Lulu and Alma Ernst acted as maids of honor. Frank Lyons of Oakland acted as best man.

A wedding supper, served under the personal direction of Mrs. F. Mahler, followed, and the health and happiness of the newly-joined couple was frequently toasted. The couple left on a late train for San Francisco, and will make their future home in this city.

Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Boehmer, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Ernst, Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Hilderbrand, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sheldon, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Miller, Mrs. Johanna Ernst, Mrs. Fleishman, Mrs. Hesser, Rev. G. R. Dodson, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Graff, Miss Lulu Sevening, Miss Alma Ernst, Frank Lyon, A. P. Stuyvesant, J. E. Barber, Eddie Ehrenpfort, Mr. Lamkin, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sevening, Miss Lulu Ernst, Miss Alma Sevening.

A SILVER WEDDING.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Smith celebrated their silver wedding Tuesday at their home, 1029 Oak street.

A number of their friends were invited to a banquet in honor of the event. The guests were seated at 3 o'clock, exactly the same hour Mr. and Mrs. Smith were married in 1871.

Among those present were: Dr. and Mrs. Henderson, Miss Ella Henderson, Mrs. Schetter, Prof. E. S. Richardson, Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell, Y. Egger and wife, Miss B. M. Shaw, Miss Alice Brady, Jules Brady, Wil Brady, H. McKean, Miss Ella McKean, Dr. Goldson, W. G. Goldson, Dr. Ward, Miss Jeanee Wood, Edith Wood, W. Judson, F. Spencer, Mrs. Gray, Williams, Mrs. Gertie Harrison, Master A. Drucker, Austin Smith, Miss H. A. Smith and Mrs. M. Montieth.

THE MURRAY THEATRICALS.

A very charming evening was first given by Miss Murray at her father's residence on Kittridge street, Berkeley, last Friday. A three-act comedy entitled "The New Woman," was well presented. A pretty stage with curtain and accessories was built in the drawing room, and an admirable cast of characters interpreted the play to the entire satisfaction of the large number of guests present. The participants were Misses Murray, Wilson, Farnsworth and Gomperiz, Messrs. Housman and Murdock. After the drama a delicious supper was served.

THE PHIL SHERIDAN CONCERT.

A treat is in store for those who attend the concert to be given by the Phil Sheridan Circle No. 3, Ladies of the G. A. R., on next Tuesday evening at Loring Hall, Eleventh and Clay streets. The Young Ladies' Quartette, composed of Miss Charlotte Gruenhagen of San Francisco, first violin; Miss Mabel Crabtree, of Oakland, second violin; Miss May Barrington, of Oakland, viola and contralto, Miss Annie Barrington, 'cello; Miss Pearl Noble of Alameda, cornet and soprano, and Miss Maud Noble, trombone, all members of the Saturday Morning Orchestra of San Francisco, will entertain.

THE CURRIER CARD PARTY.

A pleasant informal card party was given by Miss Hattie Currier of Snell seminary at 961 Jackson street Thursday evening. The guests were mostly college students, the boys being from one of the Berkeley fraternities. Euchre furnished amusement for the evening, light refreshments being served after the game. Those present were Miss Blankart, Miss Augustus Kent, Miss Marguerite Thornton, of Stockton, Mrs. Grace Hampton; Messrs. Elma Rowell, A. Warner, and W. Creed.

FORESTERS SMOKE

Court Grant, Ancient Order of Foresters, held an enjoyable smoke Wednesday evening at Odd Fellows' Hall East Oakland. Members of the order with their friends gathered to spend the evening in social enjoyment over the pipe. It was one of the most pleasant events in the history of the organization.

After a short musical and literary programme, pipes and tobacco were passed around while dainty light refreshments were abundantly dispensed.

Addresses were made by Chief Ranger Andrew McElhatton, Sub-Ranger Norman Greathead, J. W. White, E. Olnel and others.

THE TAYLOR SURPRISE.

The friends of Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Taylor tendered them a surprise last Wednesday evening, in honor of their seventeenth anniversary of their wedding. During the evening Mr and Mrs Taylor received several handsome gifts, including a costly clock. The latter was accompanied by a neat letter of presentation.

THE RUST PARTY.

W. B. Rust, son of the late Capt. E. C. Rust, entertained a number of his schoolmates this week at his home in Berkeley. The house was prettily decorated and the evening passed enjoyably.

Among those present were Mabel Gerrine, Mabel Edwards, Edith Bruns, Toney Cooper, Emma Hahn, Clara Boynton, Alice Zenger, Hattie Martin, Sarah Matthews, Willie Cavalier, Elmer Nelson, Ross Cooper, Bernard Smith, Bob Finn, Louis Pape, Archie Tabel, Charles Kleeper, Wendell Farrar, Harold Platt, Winfield Mathews, Willie Mathews and Willie B. Rust.

GASTON—ORMOND.

The wedding of Walter Garton and Miss Maggie Ormond took place at the home of the bride's parents in Temescal on Wednesday evening. After the wedding the immediate friends of the contracting parties partook of a wedding supper. After a visit to Santa Cruz Mr. and Mrs. Garton will reside in Oakland.

CHAT OF THE CHURCHES.

Arrangements and Notices for the Usual Sunday Services.

Well Chosen Texts Will Be Treated in the Local Pulpits.

First Methodist Episcopal Church—The pastor, Dr. Kummer, will occupy his pulpit both morning and evening. In the morning, at 11 o'clock, he will preach on "The Humiliation of Christ;" in the evening he will conclude his series on "Popular Amusements" by answering a large number of interesting questions which have been submitted to him by members of his congregation.

St. Andrew's Episcopal Church—Ninth and Cypress. Divine service at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Sermons by Rev. J. Hulme. The Holy Communion will be celebrated at 7:45 A. M. Evening prayer at 4 P. M. on Tuesdays and Thursdays, at 10:30 A. M. on Wednesdays, and on Fridays at 7:30 P. M. during Lent.

Eighth Avenue M. E. Church—S. J. Carroll, pastor. Preaching by the pastor at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Subjects, morning, "How the Crimson May Become White;" evening, "Why So Many Recent Church Troubles?" Epworth League at 5:30.

Zion's German Evangelical Lutheran Church—Services at 10:45 A. M. The pastor, Rev. J. H. Theiss, will preach. Subject, "Temptations;" services in the Lorin Hall at 3 P. M.

First Free Baptist Church—On Twenty-first street, between San Pablo Avenue and Brush street. Services at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. In the morning the pastor, Rev. Philip Graif, will preach on the "Americanism and Greatness of Washington," and in the evening the Sunday school, under the direction of Prof. S. P. Meads, will give a concert in commemoration of Washington and Lincoln consisting of music, addresses and recitations appropriate to the occasion. Everybody cordially invited.

Pilgrim Congregational Church—Rev. M. Willett, pastor. Subject in the morning, "An Exhortation for the Nerveless and Weak-kneed" and in the evening, "George Washington."

First English Lutheran Church—Corner Grove and Sixteenth, Rev. J. E. Bushnell, D. D. pastor. Missionary service at 11 A. M. conducted by Supt. P. M. Fisher. The pastor will preach at 7:30 on the gospel for the first Sunday in Lent; subject, "Temptation of Christ." There will be an election and installation of an elder at the morning service.

The Young Men's Rally at the Young Men's Christian Association hall, Twelfth and Clay streets, tomorrow afternoon at half-past 3 o'clock will be of special interest. The Hus Family Orchestra will assist in the song service and will render several special selections. Miss Pearl Noble will be present as usual and render valuable assistance with the cornet. The address will be given by Mr. M. M. Meyers of Portland, Oregon, on the subject "What a Blind Man Saw." An invitation is extended to all men to attend.

Thirty-Fourth Street Methodist Church—The pastor, Rev. G. R. Jones, will preach both morning and evening. Subjects, "The Good Shepard," "The Two Ways." Epworth League at 6:45 P. M.

Prospect Hill Presbyterian Church, Fruitvale—Rev. E. D. Clark, pastor. Services 11 A. M. and 7:15 P. M. Subject of morning sermon, "Christian Contentment;" subject of evening sermon, "Religion and Patriotism."

Tenth Avenue Baptist Church—Rev. C. M. Hill pastor. 11:00 subject, "The Character of Washington," 7:30, A. C. E.: evening address by the pastor, "Soul-Winning at Home" by Mrs. Bishop J. W. Hott, D. D. a distinguished divine and platform speaker from the East will lecture on "Tent Life in Palestine" at the Market Street Congregational Church on Friday evening, February 28.

Market Street Congregational Church, corner Market and Eighteenth streets, Rev. E. S. Chapman D. D., the pastor will preach tomorrow morning and evening, and teach a Bible class at 1 P. M. Subjects at 11 A. M. "The Lord's Love for Our Home and Family Life;" at 7:30 P. M., "What the Lord Loves More Than Our Home and Family Life."

At the Church of the Advent, Episcopal, East Oakland, Rev. V. Marshall Law, rector, there will be morning prayer at 11, and sermon by the rector on "In the Wilderness;" in the evening at 7:30 shortened service and sermon on "Casting Lots." Early celebration at 8 o'clock and Sunday school at 9:30.

Central Christian Church: morning service 10:30. Sunday school 12 M. Christian Endeavor 6:35 P. M.; Edwards Davis will preach on "Correct Belief not the Essential of Salvation, but Grace by Obedience to Faith."

At the First Presbyterian Church Dr. Coyle will preach at 11 A. M. on "The Banner of the Bible," and at 7:30 P. M. on "Find a Way to Make One." All welcome.

Preaching at Universalist Church both morning and evening. Rev. John Hughes will preach in the morning and Rev. Kate Hughes in the evening.

First Christian Church, corner of Thirteenth and Mark t streets. James Small pastor. Morning theme, "A Great Doo." Evening, "The relation of the Catholic Church to the Bible and the Public Schools." Rousing singing, sweet solos, and free seats. Rev. John Hughes of Table Grove, Illinois, the noted orator and lecturer in the Universalist Church, will fill the pulpit on Sunday morning, March 1st.

Brown, formerly of Swatow, China, on "Soul-Winning Away From Home."

First Baptist Church—Rev. C. H. Hobart, pastor of the First Baptist Church will speak tomorrow at 10:30 and 7:30 upon the following themes: Morning, "A Sure Refuge;" evening, "Sowing and Reaping."

Centennial Presbyterian Church—Dr. Ellis will occupy his pulpit at the Centennial Presbyterian Church morning and evening. Morning subject, "The Sifting of Peter." Evening, "Papal Rome According to Daniel."

First Unitarian Church—Rev. C. M. Wendte will preach at 11 A. M. Topic, "The Church of the Early Christians." at 7:30 o'clock, sixth and last musical lecture, topic, "A Review of all the Great Church Composers." Illustrative music by Mrs. J. M. Pierce and chorus choir and a string quartette.

St. John's Church—Grove street, near Eighth. Rev. F. J. Mynard, rector. Rev. Benjamin Akerly, D. D., rector Emeritus. Services 7:45 and 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. The Rt. Rev. P. T. Rowe, D. D., the newly elected Bishop of Alaska, will preach in the evening.

Chester Street M. E. Church—Geo. Beatty, pastor of Chester Street M. E. Church, will preach morning and evening; 11 A. M. Mark 11:24; 7:30 P. M., "I Am the Lord that Healeth Thee."

Theosophical Society—Lecture by Dr. Annie J. Patterson; subject, "What Is Life," at the Theosophical library, Hamilton Hall, at 8 P. M.

QUERY-BOX AT THE FIRST METHODIST CHURCH.

Among the questions to be answered by Dr. Kummer tomorrow night are the following:

Would you place the use of tobacco among amusements, and can a Christian smoke or chew?

Is there a personal devil?

Has God a foreknowledge of everything that ever has been and that ever will be?

Could not the theater be reformed if good people would patronize it?

Would not the dance be all right if it were opened with prayer?

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Mrs. Dann's Death.

The inquest held last evening on the remains of Miss Anna M. Dann developed no new facts. The jury returned a verdict of accidental death.

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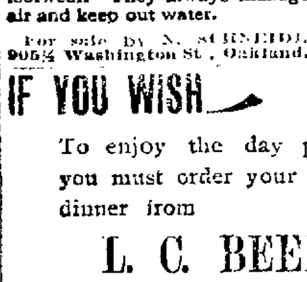

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REGISTRATION!

Office of the County Clerk,

Alameda Co., State of California.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT at a regular meeting of the Board of Supervisors of Alameda County, State of California, held on the 13th day of January, 1896, it was ordered that the Clerk of said County make a new and

COMPLETE REGISTRATION

of the voters of said County, in accordance with the provisions of Section 1094 of the Political Code of the State of California, that said registration commence on the 17th day of February 1896, and continue until 85 days before the next General Election, to wit., to and including August 9th, 1896, when such registration will cease.

Now, therefore, this is to give notice, that in pursuance of said order, said new registration will commence on the 17th day of February, 1896, and continue to and including August 9th, 1896, when such registration will cease.

Further notice is hereby given that affidavits for registration may be sworn to before any Deputy County Clerk in the different towns and precincts of the County, or any Deputy County Assessor without charge. Affidavits can also be sworn to before any Justice of the Peace or Notary Public. All naturalized citizens who have not been registered before must present papers when applying for registration.

The office of the County Clerk at the Hall of Records, Oakland, Cal., will be open from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. and from 7:30 p. m. to 9 p. m. for the accommodation of voters. All citizens are notified to apply for registration at once.

Notice is given that after the filing of affidavits, and when names are entered on the Great Register postal cards will be sent to each citizen of the date of such entry. If postal is not received voters should ascertain at once for his own protection the reason why.

Feb. 17, 1896.

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County Clerk.

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The immense sale of tickets for the Paderewski recital indicates that every seat in the Macdonough will be occupied this evening. Those who wish to apply at once for the few choice seats remaining, as the sale is brisk and it is likely that standing room will be in request to-night. The excellence of the programme has attracted many musicians:

The following programme will be presented:

Sonata, C major, op. 53 ... Beethoven
Impromptu B flat major, op. 142
No. 3 ... Schubert
Capriccio, ... Paganini-Schumann
Fantasie "Midsummer Night's Dream" ... Mendelssohn-Liszt
Nocturne, G major, op. 37, No. 2, ... Chopin
Mazurka, B minor, op. 33, No. 4 ... Chopin
Etudes, F major, No. 3, G flat, No. 9, op. 25 ... Chopin
Berceuse ... Chopin
Valse, A flat major, op. 34 ... Chopin
Nocturne, Minuet, ... Paderewski
Etude de Concert, Rhapsodie Hongroise No. 2 ... Liszt

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TAVARY OPERA COMPANY.

Prominent among the celebrated artists comprising the Tavary Opera Company, which will appear at the Macdonough next week, is the world-renowned tenor of the Mme. Patti concert tours of America, Chevalier Albert L. Guille. Guille was born in Avignon, France, in 1854, and studied with the great tenor, [illegible], father of the famous composer of the "The Mascott," and "Olivette." He has had a most remarkable and interesting career, one that would read like a romance more than a history of real life. Guille has sung in all the leading theatres of Europe, including those of the Russian Empire, with the greatest artists of the day. For six seasons he was with Patti.

Marie Tavary, the leading prima donna soprano of the company, is also an artist of international renown. She possesses a voice of great volume and beauty of tone, and her interpretations are most artistic. The company is strong and equipped with every accessory for the perfect production of grand opera.

Mme. Thea Dorre, who will appear in the title role of "Carmen," with which the company opens next Wednesday evening, has achieved her greatest success in this part, and her impersonation of the Cigarette Girl is said to be unsurpassed. "Trovatore" will be given Thursday night and "Bohemian Girl" for the special matinee, Thursday afternoon.

The sale of seats will begin next Monday at 9 a. m. The demand for tickets is large and many will avail themselves of this opportunity to hear the renderings of grand opera at small cost. Prices will be reduced for the Thursday matinee, when seats on the lower floor will be sold at 75c and $1; lower floor will be sold at 75 cents, and 25 cents.

THE OAKLAND

The closing performances of Cinderella are packing the Oakland Theatre to overflowing and several hundred were turned away at the matinee this afternoon. The piece is running on smoothly and the several specialties are well received. The center of attraction is Lady Douglas. The trained cockatoos come in for special attention and the refined and highly artistic efforts of the renowned Jordan sisters in songs and dances are repeatedly encored.

Commencing Monday, Feb. 24th, the [illegible] farce comedy [illegible] will be produced by a [illegible] stock company composed of old favorites, among them Paul Craig and M. J. Hoeley. The play is a bright one though the action that will delight the amusement-loving audiences during the week. Several specialties will be rendered, among them clever vocal renditions by Miss Violet Sheldon, late soloist with the Herne Grand Concert Company, and a double waltz clog by M. J. Hoeley and Miss Jennie Kelton.

The E. W. [illegible] Company, late of Cordray's Theatre, Portland, will open at the Oakland Theatre March 2nd in the original production of "Bottom of the Sea."

THE BALDWIN

Frederick Warde will commence a season of [illegible] at the Baldwin next Monday. That Mr. Warde will prove attractive goes without saying. The repertoire will be as follows: Monday, Wednesday and Friday nights and Saturday matinee, "The Mountebank;" [illegible] Saturday night, "Virginius."

THE CALIFORNIA.

Nellie McHenry is the attraction for next week at the California. The success of this jolly actress is due to her painstaking methods. She has many new [illegible] and is as popular as ever.

THE COLUMBIA.

During the past week the peerless little comedienne Katie Putnam with a good company of players has been packing the Columbia at every performance. Both the star and the play, [illegible], or at the Old Lime Kiln," have made a pronounced hit. Miss Putnam displays peculiar histrionic gifts of her own, even in advance of those of the great Lotta and Little Nell, still remembered as the "California Diamond." Miss Putnam's engagement will continue all next week.

THE ORPHEUM.

Manager Walter has excelled himself in the bill he has offered patrons of the Orpheum this week. The list of attractions makes a programme that has never been equalled in the history of that popular place of amusement. The attendance has been beyond the capacity of the house every night this week.

MOROSCO'S

"The Pulse of New York," a stirring drama of life in the great metropolis, is billed for next week at Morosco's. The cast includes a wonderful presentation of six different characters by Florence Thropp. There are several very sensational scenes. The railroad and East River and fire scenes will be exceptionally fine pieces of stage mechanism.

THE TIVOLI.

"Der Freischutz" has been presented to large audiences this week at the Tivoli. A more elaborate production of opera has never been given at the house.

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The Carlton Opera Company in an elaborate repertoire of popular operas will be the attraction at the Alcazar next week. The opportunity to hear this fine company at popular prices is the first ever given in San Francisco.

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Each member of the local Christian Endeavor Society at Springsport, Mich., pledged herself to turn into the treasury a dollar earned by herself, and Mrs. Jennie Clay earned hers in a unique way. Two tramps called at her house and demanded food and lodging. She went into her room, got her husband's revolver and ordered the tramps to throw up their hands, which they did. She then commanded them to march and started them for the village lock-up, where they were caged for the night. In the morning they were registered and allowed to depart, Mrs. Clay giving them breakfast. She then presented a bill to the village council, "To arresting two tramps, 50 cents each, $1," and that body, after a good deal of humorous debate, allowed the bill.

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BERKELEY, Feb. 22.—A new industry for California has been discovered at the State University. Experiments have recently been conducted in the College of Agriculture which demonstrate the possibility of manufacturing perfume from the flowers growing in Southern California. The experiments were qualitative and were made to determine the fragrancy and percent of fragrance in the blossoms. It was found that it was sufficient to warrant the manufacture of perfume in Southern California and a gentleman from Riverside is much interested in the venture. He has been at work for some time on the experiments and made tests with nearly all the plants common about Riverside. Some of those experiments are with tube roses, orange blossoms, lemon blossoms, eucalyptus and buckwheats. The results were so encouraging that the manufacturing of perfume will probably be numbered among California industries soon.

A BOARD OF ARBITRATION.

A meeting of the Student Body of the University of California was held yesterday afternoon in Stiles Hall. President Kellogg presided. The meeting was held in response to an appeal from leading citizens of Chicago and New York calling for assemblages all over the United States on Washington's birthday to consider the following questions:

1. Do we wish the governments of the United States and Great Britain by formal treaty to establish arbitration as the method of concluding all differences which may fail of settlement by diplomacy between the two powers?

2. What is our opinion of war as a mode of deciding controversies between the United States and Great Britain?

The questions were discussed by the faculty members present and students jointly. Among the students who spoke were William Nat Friend, Harry H. Hirst and Cleve Dam. Professors Jones, Bacon and Gayley discussed the questions for the faculty. Quite a little stir was created by Professor Gayley when he came forward. The classes had all been dismissed to enable all students to attend the meeting. This didn't suit the professor. He thought it a "kindergarten method" and prefaced his remark with a little invective against it. "The matter was important enough," he said, "to warrant the faculty's setting aside an evening for its consideration." After the discussion the following resolutions were adopted.

"Whereas, it is desirable in the cause of civilization and the interests of humanity that the percentage of international differences that lead to war should be reduced to a minimum through the application of the principle of arbitration, and.

"Whereas, the common interest of the United States and Great Britain and the common character and purpose of their political institutions suggest the eminent desirability as well as the feasibility of the adoption of some permanent method for the amiable settlement of the many disputes in which their governments may be directly or indirectly concerned, therefore

"Resolved, that the faculties and students of the University of California in a joint meeting, this 21st day of February, 1896, gladly add their voice in favor of the movement for the arbitration between the movement for the arbitration of international questions, especially between the United States and Great Britain, and

"Resolved, that these resolutions be sent to the President of the United States, the Secretary of State, the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives; also the Senators and Representatives of this State in Congress, urging them to take the necessary steps to initiate this great reform."

CATHODE RAYS.

Experiments have for the last few days been carried on in the University of California with the Cathode Rays discovered by Prof. Roentgen. Success did not come until yesterday. Those who conducted the experiments were Professors Cory, Slate and Messrs. Drew, Cottrell and Le Conte Jr. The negative obtained finally was underexposed but shows clear shadows of an iron and platinum spatula, a copper coil and a coin.

HERE AND THERE.

The Sophomore class met yesterday. Baker and Sleude were nominated for "Blue and Gold" manager and Chickering, Dickey and Rector for editor. The election will be held Tuesday from 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.

The Eighteenth anniversary of Berkeley Lodge I. O. O. F., was celebrated Thursday evening. The veteran Odd Fellows were the guests of honor.

The Sophomore "co-eds" appeared yesterday in mortar boards. The custom has been dying out and they decided to revive it.

DOUBLE LOSS OF CONFIDENCE.

His Dog a Poorer Fighter and He a Worse Judge of Dogs Than He Thought.

From the Detroit Free Press.

One day as we lay in camp on the Republican fork of the Arkansaw river one of the boys caught a big jackrabbit in a snare and made a cage of willows to keep him as a pet. Three days later a tenderfoot came along with a hunter's outfit, and accompanied by a canine which looked to be a cross between a hound and a bull-dog. He said he had bought the dog the day before from a teamster, and that the animal was a match for any three mountain wolves.

"What d've think of him yourself?" asked the Corporal.

"He looks to me like a fighter," was the reply.

"How much did you pay for him?"

"Fifteen dollars."

"I don't think he's a fighter," observed the Corporal in a careless way. "He looks more like a runner."

"Have you anything which can run him?" asked the tenderfoot, as he bristled up.

"Yes, I think I have. We captured a hodog the other day, and I think he can run that dog."

"What is a hodog?"

"Sort of a prairie wolf. There isn't much fight in them, but there's less in your canine. I'll bet $5 he runs your dog out of sight."

"If he does I'll give you $10," shouted the stranger, who was nettled over the way the boys were winking and grinning.

The dog was placed on the level outside the camp, and the Corporal went after his rabbit. Before bringing him out he tied his ears over his head with a strip torn from a red handkerchief, and other strips were made fast to his body. He was the oddest looking creature anybody ever saw outside of a museum when the Corporal finally dumped him out in front of the dog. We were gathered in two lines and the rabbit had to run for the dog to get clear of us. The dog was apparently ready for a row with one of his own species, but when that living curiosity came for him, he dropped his tail and started off at full speed. The jack probably took him for an old pard of his, for he followed close at his heels and humped him for all he was worth. The dog made two complete circuits of the camp, yelping at every jump, and then finding the rabbit close at his heels he jumped into the river, swam across and thus got away. The stranger looked on without a word, and when the affair was over he handed down a $20 bill.

"How's this?" asked the Corporal.

"Why," said the man, "one ten is for my dog being a blanked coward, and the other for me being a blanked fool."

Art of Going to Bed.

From the Boston Traveller.

There is a ridiculous fellow over in London who is trying to convince people that nobody understands the art of going to bed. This may be true in England, where they say people can't keep clean without "tubbing" five times a day, but it isn't true in this country, where it would be voted by a very large majority that the art which is not understood is that of "getting up."

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

FISHING FOR 'GATORS.

A Wooden Leg That Brings Its Owner a Good Income.

Alligators are becoming rather scarce in Florida, but a few men still make a good living hunting them, their hides meeting with ready sale.

One of the largest concerns in Jacksonville, engaged in dealing in alligator hides, had a customer upon their books named Tom Tucker, who brings in more hides than any other three men in the State. It was known that the saurians came from Dunn's Creek, a tributary of the St. John's, but beyond this fact nothing could be learned concerning his methods of capturing the reptiles until a few days ago, when a buyer of the firm visited Dunn's Creek and espied Tucker lying at full length on a log, one end of which was in the creek. Tucker had a leg thrown into the water, and just as the buyer approached he saw the alligator hunter scramble up the bank, while a huge saurian beat the muddy water into a foam. As the man reached the bank the alligator came too, having swallowed a portion of the leg that had hung over the log into the water.

Tucker took a long, sharp knife and soon killed the creature, then he unscrewed the leg and took it off to remove the 'gator. Then his scheme became apparent. He has a wooden leg, and through it are driven large steel spikes. He leaves the leg in the water and it is swallowed by the alligator. As the reptile closses his jaws the steel impales him, and it is impossible for him to escape.

A Warsaw lady recently engaged a quiet respectable-looking girl of 16 to look after her eighteen-month-old baby. As soon as he saw the nurse the child was frightened into convulsions; the girl was asked to go into another room, where the master of the house was entertainig half a dozen guests. On her entering the room a standard lamp on the table blazed up to the ceiling, three large oil paintings fell down from the wall, and a large barometer flew across the room and was smashed. The girl was not alarmed and admitted that such accidents happened frequently when she was present. She is a pale slight girl, who suffers from insomnia. Dr. Ochorowicz, the pyschologist, is investigating the case.

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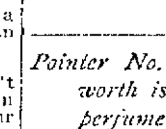

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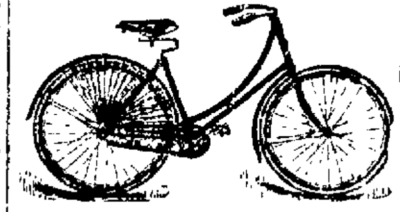

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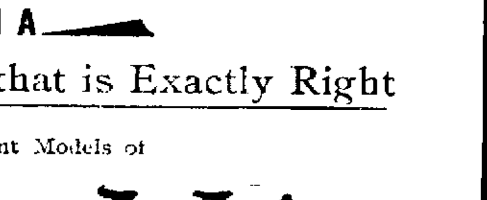

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They Cut Their Way Out of Chief Lloyd's Prison.

POLICE ARE IN PURSUIT.

The Escapes Were Employed in the Kitchen Acting as Cooks.

A LIME WALL CUT AWAY.

They Worked From Day to Day and Put Debris in the Ash Barrel.

THE FLIGHT TO FREEDOM

Once in the Yard, They Scaled the Fence and Reached the Street.

Breakfast was not served at the Oakland city prison at the usual hour this morning. There was a clamor for coffee and bread that was unheeded by the jail cooks. The reason for the break in the monotony was very simple. The cooks were not at their accustomed place at the range, and the coffee boiler stood cold and clammy while the prison keepers sought to learn the reason for the delay.

They soon discovered that the two trusties who had served as chefs had fled during the stillness of the night. They had neatly dug their way out of the prison and unceremoniously clambered over a couple of back fences to freedom.

Charles Reisart and Wm. Anderson, petit larceny thieves are the missing men, and their departure was so quietly taken that they successfully made their escape and have left a lot of policemen wondering "where they are at."

The usual time for breakfast is 7 o'clock. Two hours before that matters begin to stir in the kitchen, which is a small cubby hole off the main corridor, and over looking on one side is a yard that is reached from the jail by a door and flight of wooden steps, four in number. This enclosure is fenced on one side by a 10-foot tight board surface, studded with nails along the top.

This yard opens in one direction upon a second enclosure, from which a door leads to the city corporation yard and junk shop, piled with assorted merchandise used by the street department. The police patrol wagon stable adjoins the inner yard to the north, and projecting along the north side of the city hall, shutting off view of the prison, the high board fence extends.

There was considerable risk attached to the escape over the fence that faces Fifteenth street, although the building occupied by the Board of Health forms a concealing wall for the immediate corner of the fence, and the side of the patrol wagon house, where the two prisoners made their escape, after cutting their way through the jail wall inside. The marks of footsteps show plainly where they landed outside the fence where the escaping prisoners alighted and started off towards Fifteenth street.

HOW THEY DID IT.

The methods by which the two escaped from the kitchen, where the rules of the prison require that they should be locked up at 5 o'clock each evening, is as follows. The two cooks sleep in the kitchen, and are undisturbed until the morning hour, when they rise to prepare breakfast for their fellow-prisoners.

The pair had ample opportunity to make preparations for their escape. They found a vulnerable spot in the masonry that forms a portion of the foundation of the building.

Beneath a large copper cooking boiler in the kitchen is a space not more than 3x2 feet. This was found to be filled in between the granite with soft, crumbling, dusty lime. The cooks put their heads together and found that the mixture yielded readily to picking with a knife or hatchet.

By working the soft lime out in this fashion a space was left through which a small man might squeeze with considerable exertion. The hole led to the side of the stairway leading to the inner yard. The prisoners once in this yard had no difficulty in scaling the fence, notwithstanding the patrol wagon stable immediately adjoining, where a driver is on duty through the night. They did not arouse this officer, for nothing was known of the escape until night prison keeper Swain went to the kitchen to unlock the door, so that the cooks could begin to prepare the breakfast. Instead of finding his men, he discovered their absence and soon noticed where they had made their way out. Ther efuse lime had been carefully concealed in an ash barrel in small quantities, so that no suspicion should be thrown upon them while they were boring their way out.

It is suspected they had been at work for some days, removing at night such a quantity of lime as they could and carefully concealing the aperture during the day time.

Both men are petit larceny thieves, serving terms of six months each. Anderson's time would not be completed until April 28th and Reisart had until May 11th to serve.

The escape was reported to Capt. Wilson this morning and he notified Chief Lloyd. Photographs and a description of the men were furnished all the officers and the detectives were ordered to make an immediate hunt for them.

AT MILPITAS TOO.

James Cooper and Frank Hayes Work Their Way to Liberty.

An epidemic of jail breaking has swept over the country. In addition to that at the city prison this morning, there was reported from Milpitas, the levanting of James Cooper and Frank Hayes.

They worked their way out of the branch jail there and left no trail behind them

PUPILS ENTERTAIN.

A Charming Celebration Held at the Harrison School.

The following excellent entertainment was given at Harrison school yesterday in commemmoration of Washington's Birthday:

Song, "Welcome, Thou Festal Morn" .....School
Song of Washington.....School
Recitation, "I'm Washington".Tom Kent
Recitation, by six little girls..First Grade
Class recitation, "The Youth of Washington" .....Fifth Grade
Song, "O, Have You Heard the Story Told," .....Fifth and Fourth Grades
Recitation, George Reler, Willie Hanold and Willie Bernhardt.
Recitation, "What Did Washington Look Like?".....Maud Lee
Song, "Union and Liberty".....Annie Welderman
Recitation, "My Country's Flag," .....Harold Brown
Son, "God Bless the Soldier"....School
"Liberty Bells," seven girls, second and third grades.
Recitation, "Cherry Trees"..... .....Nelson Norwood
Recitation, "My Hero"..Rosie Pantoskey
Recitation .....Bertha Heath
Concert Recitation, "Washington's Name" .....Fourth Grade
Song, "Mt. Vernon Bells".....School
Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag, Fifth Grade.
Song, "I Am a True American"....School
"The Hatchet Story," seven boys.... .....Second Grade
Recitation .....Chas. Brennan
Recitation, "Johnny Speaks His Piece" .....Henry Greenough
Flag Exercise, seven girls..Fourth Grade
The Story of the Flag.....Fifth Grade
Recitation, "George Washington" .....Maud Green
Song, "America".....School
Salute to the Flag .....School
"Star Spangled Banner" .....Fourth and Fifth Grades

LAYS FROM LOS ANGELES

A Jealous Contractor Attempts to Murder His Wife.

Wreck of the Riverside Local as It Came Into the City.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 22.—N. B. Foster, a contractor, attempted to kill his wife this morning.

He fired twice at her with a revolver.

The first shot passed through her hand which she had raised to prevent his shooting.

The plucky woman grabbed the revolver and the second shot took off the forefinger of the left hand of her husband.

She threw the revolver through the window and fainted.

Citizens secured Foster while he was trying to regain the weapon.

Jealousy of his wife is said to have impelled Foster to the deed.

A TRAIN WRECKED.

A wreck occurred this morning on the Southern Pacific road at Naud's Junction near the Kuhrts street bridge.

A switchman threw the switch too soon and the Riverside local, carrying a large crowd of Masons and others to the city, was nearly derailed.

The last car was thrown into the switch and crashed into a freight engine, ripping the side out of the car.

The fireman of the switch engine was injured about the head and an unknown colored man had both legs cut off.

The passengers were all severely shaken up.

MASONS TURN OUT.

The Masonic parade and ceremonies attendant upon the laying of the corner stone of the new Masonic Temple on Hill street, was one of the most impressive and magnificent spectacles ever witnessed in this city.

Ten thousand people were in line in the parade.

Governor Budd, Grand Master Preston and many other notables were present and participated.

Grand Orator Bycknell made the principal address.

Masons from every part of the State were present.

The Duchess of Northumberland is the possessor of a shawl which was presented by King Charles X. of France and which cost 500,000 francs. It is manufactured from the fur of a species of Persian cat. The hair of this cat is so extremely fine and elastic that a single hair is scarcely perceptible to the naked eye.

"You," said the careworn individual, "are the man who told me the right way to succeed politically was to trust the people."

"I am," replied the theoretical philosopher.

"Well, I done it. And not one of 'em will pay up. And the sheriff's got my saloon. And I'm goin' to lick you."

And brute force once more triumphed over philosophy.—Indianapolis Journal.

Use Adam's Tuti-Frutti Chewing Gum.

Dyspepsia cured by using Adam's Tuti-Frutti Chewing Gum after each meal.

REFUSES THE BELT.

Fitzsimmons Talks in a Way That Makes Corbett Red-Hot.

HE WON'T FIGHT JIM.

The Californian, He Says, Must First Meet Peter Maher.

CORBETT ANSWERS HOTLY.

He Calls the Australian a Coward and Talks Gorily.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

EL PASO, Tex., Feb. 22.—An Associated Press representative had a talk with Fitzsimmons about the Corbett challenge on his way in from the battle ground this morning.

Fitz said: "I shall completely ignore that fellow Corbett.

"It was a thousand dollars American money to one cent Mexican coin that 'Pomp Jim' would do just as he has.

"I shall use about the same argument once employed by Charlie Mitchell: 'Tell him to go get a reputation.' Let him whip Peter Maher and Joe Choynski before he opens his head to me.

"Both men want to fight him and I think either of them can lick him.

"This much I shall insist upon. He must first win from Maher and Choynski before he gets into the ring with me.

"I whipped with ease the man Corbett presented the championship belt to, in order to escape a match with him.

"To show Corbett how little weight his championship present carries, I formally, through the Associated Press, renounce all claim to the belt and refuse to accept it.

"I am going to Madison Square Garden for the night of February 29th, with half a dozen contracts I made conditionally on winning from Maher, and then, with Julian, Stenzler, Roeber and my family, I sail for England."

Fitzsimmons was met by a monstrous crowd here, the train arriving at 9 A. M.

Fitzsimmons and Julian drove to the State National Bank, but found it closed, it being Washington's Birthday.

The bank officers were found and they turned over to Fitzsimmons the $10,000.

Dan Stuart asked: "Gentlemen, have I conducted this affair to please you?"

Julian and Fitzsimmons responded they were entirely satisfied and shook hand all around.

Julian handed the Associated Press representative the following:

"To the Public: We desire to thank the kind people of Juarez, Mexico, for the kind and courteous treatment of us during the time consumed in training for the fight just ended. We shall always bear pleasant remembrances of that place and its charming people from the Governor down to the humblest man. We shall try to square ourselves honorably with the Mexican government if they think we committed any wrong.

"(Signed)"

BOB FITZSIMMONS,
MARTIN JULIAN."

Maher's backers are going to challenge Fitzsimmons for another battle of $5000 a side.

It is understood Julian will offer Maher inducements for a four round glove contest at Madison Square Garden at New York on the 29th.

HOW CORBETT TAKES IT.

CHICAGO, Feb. 22.—Corbett, when shown the Associated Press dispatch announcing Fitzsimmons' refusal to fight him, simply said:

"He is a big coward. I will leave it to the public to judge whether I am correct or not. I predicted he would not make a match with me if he won the fight with Maher but if he goes to England he will find me in England after him. He said after his fight with Maher he would fight any man in the world. He is now getting out of the country as fast as possible, bag and baggage."

A CHARMING CONCERT.

A Splendid Programme Being Given at Blair Park.

The following excellent programme is being rendered this afternoon at Blair Park by the Oakland Band of Soloists:

George H. Richardson, director.

PART I.

1—March, "King Cotton".....Sousa
2—Overture, "Fra Diavolo".....Auber
3—Caprice, "The Golden Blonde" ....Ellenberg
(Solos for clarinets by Messrs. Ernst and Keogh.)
4—Grand Selection from "The Huguenots" .....Meyerbeer
(Introducing all the principal melodies of Meyerbeer's greatest opera.)
5—Cornet solo "The Surf Polka" ....Steinhauser
Performed by Mr. Herbert De Valle
6—Hunting scene (descriptive piece)... .....Bucalossi
(Probably the most realistic descriptive piece written illustrating an English hunting party—The morning breaks calm and peaceful—The huntsmen prepare for the chase—The mount—The bugle sounds a merry blast—The echo—The parties join in the chase—The road alive with horsemen—On the scent with barking of dogs and galloping of horses—shout and Tally-Ho—In full cry—The death—The return home.)
7—Grand march from Tanhauser..Wagner
8—Trombone solo, "Image of the Rose" ....Hansen
Performed by Arthur S. Morey.
9—Concert Waltz, "Un Bal a la Cour" ....Fahrbach
(Opening with the celebrated Flambeau March.)
10—Village Life in Ye Olden Time..... .....Le Thiere
(Descriptive piece illustrating the daily life of the old Puritans—Night—Cock crow—Sunrise—Astir in the village—Song of children going to school—The blacksmith shop—The May queen—May pole dance—Curfew bell—Choral—The village choir—Moonlight and lovers' serenade—Grand finale.)
11—Medley Overture, "Last of the Hogans" .....D. Graham
(Introducing Xylophone solo by Mr. Geo. Blake.)
12—Galleo from the opera of Orpheus and Euridyce .....Offenbach

Use Adams Tuti-Frutti Chewing Gum.

MURDER AND SUICIDE.

A Double Tragedy During the Night in San Francisco.

MAY CONWAY IS SHOT DEAD.

John Dolan Killed Her and Then Ended His Own Existence.

MORTON STREET ONCE MORE.

The Girl Was Well Connected but Had Gone to the Dogs.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 22.—Another murder to which is added a suicide was discovered in the demi-monde section of Morton street.

At 12:30 Lena Raymond, a resident of that quarter, went to call on May Conway, another courtesan, to keep a breakfast engagement.

Her knocks brought no response and looking through the keyhole the Raymond woman could see the gas burning and also two bodies lying on the bed.

A policeman broke down the door.

The Conway woman was lying dead on the bed with a bullet through her left temple.

Across the dead body lay that of a young man also with a bullet through his head.

The man had a revolver with two empty chambers in his hand.

The wounds on both bodies were blackened with powder.

There was no doubt it was murder and suicide, committed by the man, who is a stranger to the women of the district.

Both bodies were nude.

The Conway woman was twenty years old, rather pretty and well known in the half world.

She is a niece of Mrs. Douglass, wife of the police officer of that name and is related to Officer Conway.

Her room was at 108½ Morton street and she rented it about two weeks ago.

The man who killed her was seen to enter her apartments at 8 o'clock last night.

He was afterwards identified as John Dolan. He was formerly a barkeeper in Tiburon.

Lost a Fine Pointer.

H. McCracken, the well known dog fancier of San Francisco, reported the loss of his valuable pointed Juno H., to the police this morning. The animal is valued at $150 and is one of the regular prize winners at bench shows.

"BILL" NYE IS DEAD.

The Great Humorist Succumbs to a Stroke of Paralysis.

His Untiring Labors Closed too Soon A Bright, Vigorous Career.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CHATTANOOGA, Feb. 22.—(Bulletin)—A special to the News from Asheville, N. C., says that "Bill" Nye died there this afternoon.

His wife, two sons and two neighbors were at the bedside when the end came.

Ten days ago he had a stroke of paralysis, much more severe than the one at Patterson, N. J., when the cruel story that he was drunk, was sent out.

DEATH CAME SUDDENLY.

Michael Callaghan Expires While Being Taken to the Hospital.

Michael Callaghan, a laborer aged about 55 years, died last evening in a wagon while being taken to the Receiving Hospital.

He was found at the corner of Twenty-sixth street and Telegraph avenue by a Chinaman and a white man. Callaghan was evidently in distress and at his request they secured a wagon from Sanborn's nursery to take him to his lodgings at 414 Sixth street.

When they arrived at the house, Mrs. Sullivan, the landlady, refused to let them bring him inside. He had only been rooming there four days and she suggested that he be taken to the Receiving Hospital. They drove around Frankline street but upon arriving at their destination found that Callaghan was dead.

The remains were taken to the morgue where an inquest will be held next Monday.

FOUND HIM GUILTY.

Tacoma's Defaulting Treasurer Must Pay the Penalty.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

TACOMA, Feb. 22.—After being out all night the jury this morning brought in a verdict of guilty against James W. McCauley, ex-City Treasurer, charged with using public money, for personal gain.

Bail was refused and the prisoner remaned to the custody of the sheriff.

The jury first stood seven for conviction and five for acquittal.

A Felonious Assault.

Peter A. Hogan, a North Oakland sewer contractor, swore to a complaint before Judge Clift yesterday afternoon charging Jacob Springer with an assault with a dealy weapon.

Springer keeps a saloon on Thirty-seventh street and San Pablo avenue and Hogan says that Springer struck him with a club and broke the wrist of his right arm.

Miss Smashum—I don't care for men; in fact, I've already said "no" to seven of them.

Miss Comely—Indeed! what were they selling?—Adams Freeman.

ARTHUR M'EWEN'S LETTER.

Rev. Dr. Brown Is Being Forced to Take Bitter Medicine by the Congregational Church Council.

HIS ARROGANCE IS MAKING A BAD IMPRESSION.

The General Feeling in the Community Is That He Should Be Convicted.

DRAIN OF THE RACE-TRACKS.

About Three Million Dollars a Year Extracted From the Community.

WHO SUPPLIES IT ALL?

Some Peculiar Results Are Coming From the Competition of the Newspapers.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 21.—Up to Tuesday last the expectation that Dr. Brown would be aquitted by his brother preachers was nearly as general as belief in his guilt. On Tuesday, however, the Council met, and since then opinion has changed. The course taken by this churchly court has awakened confidence in itself. It is sure that it has a desire to get at the truth, and that its view of the interests of the faith is not limited by the interests of Dr. Brown. That brother, whose nerve is more than human, is not running the Council. He set out to do it, but was brought up with a jerk that gave him the novel sensation of surprise. With perfect coolness, he had prepared to select the audience by issuing tickets, and it astonished him when that power was taken out of his meek hands. From that time on he has worn the air of the persecuted.

California's pulpit has so few preachers of note that the worldly, forming their judgment on the newspaper reports of Sunday sermons and Monday morning debates, take it for granted that the ministers are inferior as men. Because of this preconception, journalists, lawyers and other Gentiles who invaded the lecture room of the First Congregational Church on Tuesday expected to see on the broad platform a collection of weaklings with small foreheads and feeble chins. It is but the truth to say that the assembled Congregational preachers did honor to the cloth They were really impressive as they sat there, a body of sedate, dignified and intelligent gentleman. It would not be easy to gather in San Francisco an equal number of any other profession who would make as good an impression, in point both of seeming mentality and character. I know that I had borne in upon me the belief that for the most part these men stood for good purposes. They compelled respect. And this respect grew when they spoke. Of course their calling makes them easy on their feet; nevertheless, when men can rise and argue and converse as unperturbedly before an audience as if they were in a private room, they convey to others not so qualified a sense of mental capacity. At the very least, the beholder and listener was convinced that Dr. Brown has to do with educated men.

The conditions were not the most favorable to dignity. In the first place, the matters with which the Council has to deal are scarcely of the kind that gentlemen care to discuss in public, and least of all, before women and the sisters, old and young—were present in force. In the second place, the floor immediately in front of the platform was semi-circled with a score of tables, at which reporters were seated—a modern challenge to the clergy and their high privilege of privacy in deliberation. It was like fighting before the kinetescope.

The Council has had its reward for letting Dr. Brown understand his place and inviting the press and public to attend. The Court is treated with the utmost respect by the newspapers. Even the reporters, the most cynical of judges, believe that the accused will get a fair trial.

Smiles ripple over the faces at the newspaper tables frequently. They are evoked by the experiences of Dr. Brown with his judges. This is the same room he has been wont to marshal his partisans, bully his opponents and procure votes of confidence. Now he is off the platform, has no authority and finds himself forced to comprehend that he is on trial, and that it is expected of him that he shall be reasonably civil to men and women who are so daring as to disapprove of him. He has been sat upon often, and it goes against his arrogant stomach. From his manner of conducting his case, it is evident that nature intended the doctor for the bar rather than the pulpit. He has a hawk's eye for a technicality, and quibbles with an ardor that suggests the police court, which doubtless would have been his field of labor had he not been called to preach the gospel.

Dr. Brown makes a distinctly bad impression. He is calloused to a degree of insensibility which renders it difficult to figure him as an innocent man. While he is being discussed, while charges are spoken against him in his presence as disgraceful to him as burglary would be to a layman, he takes notes, smiles, leans back and consults with his attorney, or whispers with animation to Mattie Overman. It is as a contest that he views this whole foul business. Dr. McLean, the moderator, Dr. Moar, and the more elderly and distinguished among the clergymen on the platform, are visibly under an effort when they reply to questions from him. They are accustomed to intercourse with gentlemen, and even, if innocent, Dr. Brown cannot pretend to that rank. Were he not what he is—were he not shifty, cunning, overshrewd and shameless, but a man of gravity and feeling, capable of suffering under the defilement of false accusations—Miss Mattie Overman would very nearly serve to acquit him.

That young woman is certainly not lovely to the carnal eye. She is past 30, and her sandy hair, pale blue eyes, flat face, high cheek bones and blinking vivacity of expression would insure her against the pursuit of the villain elsewhere than in the tents of Zion.

How Dr. Brown can escape conviction, if his judges are as intelligent and conscientious as they look, it is not easy to see. The Overman letters and everything else aside, the confession of Mrs. Stockton to Mrs. Sarah B. Cooper, before witnesses, should be conclusive, unless Mrs. Stockton can be induced to recant. Everywhere I discover the same desire for a conviction as in the case of Durrant, and this jury is seemingly of a much higher grade than the one which did justice to the Emmanuel Church monster.

The San Francisco business man is a discouraged being. Hard times continue, in spite of the late Half-Million Club, the new Valley Railroad and the praiseworthy efforts of the newspaper band to play cheerful airs. The shopkeepers complain that there is no money in circulation. One of them, in discussing the situation with me, attributed the scarcity of cash to the races. It seemed absurd to me that a handful of horses should be held responsible for draining the coin of a city of three hundred thousand inhabitants, but this storekeeper, a man who owns a large retail establishment, insisted that it is so, and made out his case as is here set down.

We have two tracks, the Bay District and Ingleside. There are twenty licensed bookmakers, each of whom pays $100 a day for his privilege, and employs five men at $10—$3000. There are 312 racing days in the year—$936,000. That is what the bookmakers must take in to pay expenses. They dress well, live high and are prosperous. It is estimated that each of the twenty pockets about $50 a day—$312,000 a year, a grand annual total of $1,218,000 for the bookmaker item. The tracks maintain 700 horses, at $10 a week for each. This amounts to $364,000 a year. There are six races daily, in which fifty horses run, which means $500 for jockeys' wages, or $156,000 a year. The purses foot up $2000 a day, or $624,000 a year. The gate receipts supply the purses. There is a starter at $50 a day, and three judges at $500 a month each—$23,600 a year. Thus we have a grand total of $2,415,600. This does not of course include the winnings of the sporting men who maintain stables, nor the gains of the horde of professional gamblers, large and small, who haunt the tracks; nor the restaurants nor bars, nor the carriage hire and car fare. It is putting it low to say that these two race tracks extract annually from this community $3,000,000. Some of it gets back into circulation, naturally, but most of it is taken away. And this immense sum, equalling a tax of $10 per capita on the population of the city, is contributed by whom? Not by those best able to afford it, the business men, the men of means, for business men and men of fortune do not patronize the races and the pools in any considerable number.

The betting crowds are made up of clerks and other young men on salary, barbers, barkeepers, butchers, bakers, lawyers, reporters, doctors, and in general the hard-up class willing to take desperate chances to make a raise. Money that should be spent on the home or go into the savings bank is blown in at the races. And there must be a lot of stealing done to pay this horse tax. The frequent arrests of young collectors and others who have the handling of money not their own, partly tells the story. The movement to close the down-town pool rooms is strenuous, but the tracks are under the secure protection of wealth, and there is not the smallest prospect that the noble industry of improving the breed of horses will be interfered with. It is the contention of my storekeeper that these daily races have the same effect upon the financial condition of the city that a circus has upon that of a country town, and the appalling figures he furnished me appear to bear him out.

Among the business men who have reason to deplore the state of the times are the newspaper proprietors. There is not a newspaper in the city which is making money, and most of them are losing it. The foundation reason for this is that the papers are too big for the field. Competition has forced them all to a scale of expenditure that would fit a city and State of twice the population and advertising patronage. The race which the Examiner, Chronicle and Call are running is going to hurt some pockets seriously. The Call is making headway in circulation, and of course, what it gains, the others must lose. It is believed that the Chronicle is suffering most, but the Examiner recently, by reason of its extraordinary efforts to make itself attractive, has given the Chronicle cause for thanksgiving. For instance, an abandoned woman of the lowest class was murdered not long ago. This seemed to the Examiner an ideal opportunity to gratify curiosity as to the lives of such outcasts, so reporters and artists furnished pages of matter that have offended decency and exasperated the reputable people of the city, who neither like such matter themselves nor care to have it laid before their children. It is the readiness of the Examiner to spend money for news, its real enterprise, that keeps it ahead of its more economical rivals. But from this free expenditure the paper would soon be distanced. Mr. De Young and Mr. Spreckels are both millionaires, but they can't find it in their hearts to match their purses against Mr. Hearst's, even though he is pouring out wealth on his New York Journal and facing them here only on the side.

The Call is profiting largely by the diminuts or offenses of its contemporaries, and is willing to let it go at that. The newspaper tribe resent its growing prospects because Mr. Spreckels, though a millionaire, pays only half salaries. As a business man and politician he has acquired for journalists that discretion in which both classes hold them. Writing is writing to Mr. Spreckels, and if he can get for $50 matter equal in quantity to what Mr. Hearst pays $100 for, and Mr. De Young $75, Mr. Spreckels congratulates himself on his superior cleverness. Political and personal enmities tell against the Chronicle, want of regard for decorum against the Examiner. The Call is proper, if dull, and therefore finds favor. There is some talk of another morning paper—a four-page well-condensed affair, like the old-time New York Sun. That would be a relief from the swollen dailies, but the man who has money, to invest, and hankers to put it into a newspaper in San Francisco is not wise, unless he has the sense to know that to win he must make his paper better than any of the others. He can't do that without disbursing a fortune.

Sam Davis is down from Carson and is going about consulting authorities on spiritualistic mediums. He tells me that he has lost a ghost and is anxious to be informed of how he may find it again.

"If it wasn't for my boy, Roy," he says, "who's the nerviest young man in Nevada, if I do say it, I should have been spared the expense of this trip. I've put it off ever since Christmas, but business is business and must be attended to sooner or later. You've heard of our family ghost, of course. For several generations it has been the custom of the Davises to assemble in the drawing room, when they've had one, on Christmas eve, and pass the sacred, yet merry hours in song and story. Invariably at midnight the family ghost has joined the party. He's my great-grandfather, you understand, and was one of Washington's officers. Last Christmas eve the old gentleman came as usual; turned up in the same revolutionary costume—cocked hat, pig tail, knee breeches, shoe buckles and the rest of it. We did the regular thing—rose up respectfully and stood in silence. All except Roy. While we were holding our breath, Roy walks out from behind me, goes up to the ghost and says in a voice that meant immediate personal violence: 'Say, you old chromo, dye thing this is a masquerade?' Then, before Roy could let out with his fist, the ghost whisked into nothingness, leaving a cloud of hair powder behind him. We're afraid our ancestor will cut us hereafter, which would be a loss in dignity to the family, and we're doing what we can to square ourselves. My father, as a clergyman, has exerted himself, of course, but we do not feel that the Episcopal pull amounts to much. What I'm down here to do is to establish direct communication and restore harmony. I've taken the hide off Roy and he's ready to apologize. Who's your medium?"

Mr. Davis is in excellent health and, considering everything, surprisingly good spirits. ARTHUR McEWEN.

Do you remember those fine Etchings Kenney & Well's had one xhibition They are being sold at 33⅓ per cent discount.—Retiring from business—1110 Broadway.

Burglars entered the Poole residence on Tevis avenue in Fruitville about noon yesterday and stole $13 in cash and a Smith & Wesson revolver.

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Cuticura Resolvent.....70c	Piso's Cure.....20c
Garfield Tea.....20c	Shiloh's Cure.....40c, 80c
St. Thomas Hair Tonic.....50c	Bromo Seltzer...10c, 20c, 40c, 80c
Cuticura Salve.....40c	Pink Pills.....35c
Dickinson's Extract Witch Hazel, pints.....25c	Mellin's Foods.....35c, 55c
Pure Norwegian Cod Liver Oil, pints.....50c	Malted Milk.....40c, 80c, $3.25
La Blache Face Powder.....30c	Paine's Compound.....60c
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Lola Montez Cream.....65c	Pond's Extract.....35c
Bailey's Lanoline Cream.....25c	Hunyadi Water.....25c
Sozodont.....50c	Fellow's Syrup.....$1.00
Calder's Dentine.....15c, 35c	Imperial Hair Dye.....$1.25
Imperial Granum.....60c	Ayers' Cherry Pectoral.....75c
Joy's Hood's and Ayers' Sarsaparilla.....65c	Hoff's Blood and Stomach Bitters.....50c
	Jayne's Expectorant.....75c
	Tarrant's and Hoff's Malt.....25c

PATRIOTS ABROAD.

Washington's Birthday Is Very Gloriously Celebrated in England.

RECEPTIONS BY AMERICANS.

Court Mourning for Prince Henry Will Shortly Be Ended.

CREWS FOR THE BOAT RACE.

The Prince of Wales Has Not Taken Lord Dunraven to Task.

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LONDON, Feb. 22.—While Washington's birthday is being celebrated in the United States the members of the American colony here are honoring the memory of the father of his country in an appropriate manner. Honest love for institutions is bubbling over in many ways and Old Glory is waving proudly over many a building here in defiance of fog, soot and anything else.

At the United States Embassy the American Ambassador Thomas F. Bayard, and Mrs. Bayard, held a reception during the earlier part of the day and in the evening at the Grafton galleries, under the auspices of the American Society, there will be a banquet at which four hundred Americans will place their feet under the mahogany, clink glasses, cheer for God's country and applaud all patriotic sentiments loudly and honestly. The guests will include the staffs of the United States Embassy and United States Consulate-General, as well as Americans from nearly every part of Great Britain and Ireland.

Queen Victoria returned to Windsor on Thursday from Osborne, Isle of Wight.

The Princess of Wales, in behalf of the Queen, will hold two drawing rooms at Buckingham Palace, one on March 11th and the other on April 21st. The Princess will hold two more drawing rooms in May. Although these functions will do something towards brightening up the season, there is no doubt that the court mourning for Prince Henry of Battenberg has cast a gloom over the world of society, from which complete recovery is impossible for some time to come.

The Marquis of Salisbury proceeded to Windsor yesterday in order to consult with Her Majesty on important State business. The Premier has not been to Osborne since December. This failure to visit Her Majesty in spite of the troublesome times just passed over is due to the fact that the Marquis of Salisbury is a horribly mad sailor and is afraid even to venture across the Solent unless positively compelled to do so.

YACHTING GOSSIP.

The racing yacht which the Hendersons are building from George T. Watson's designs for Emperor William, is modelled after the Prince of Wales' Britannia. The new craft is being built secretly under the same shed used for the construction of Valkyrie III and will be nearly if not quite as large as the Dunraven boat. The preliminary work upon Watson's latest is already well advanced and rumor has it that she will be completed in time to compete at the Cowes regatta.

It has been stated that the Prince of Wales in view of the death of Prince Henry of Battenburg, will not race the Britannia during the season of 1896, and it is reported that the German Emperor was so disgusted with the criticisms of the British press upon his message to President Kruger, congratulating the latter upon his having suppressed Dr. Jameson and his raiders, that he has expressed his determination not to visit England this year under any circumstances.

Westminster Gazette discussing the report that the Prince of Wales, as Commodore of the Royal Yacht Squadron, has, in some manner intervened either to induce Lord Dunraven to send an apology to the New York Yacht Club, or to prevail upon his lordship to make an amende honorable, says it has reason to believe that the Prince has not intervened in one way or the other in the Dunraven matter.

The Rt. Hon. Sir A. B. Forwood, M. P. for the southwest division of Lancashire, leader of the Liverpool Conservatives known as "The Young Napoleon" and as "The Joseph Chamberlain of Liverpool," who was formerly Secretary of the Admiralty, is suing the Railway Times for libel in asserting that, while he was Naval Secretary, he passed the West Indies mail tender of the Atlas Steamship Company, whose New York agents are Messrs. Pym, for Wood & Kellogg, of which firm Sir A. B. Forwood is partner.

A letter from United States Ambassador Bayard expressing thanks for the receipt of a copy of the prologue of an entertainment given by the Brighton Colleges, insisting upon the continuance of Anglo-American friendship, has been published. Mr. Bayard says:

"I hail with delight any evidence of generous confidence in the companionship of the great human family, to which God has given the English language. It is a wise thought to inculcate international sympathies in the schools of each country. It is the way the twig is bent that the tree inclines and I hope the British oak and the American hickory will always incline to friendship towards each other."

THE BIG BOAT RACE.

W. H. Sherwood, treasurer of the Oxford University Boat Club, informs the Associated Press that the crew for the coming boat race with Cambridge is now definitely made up, subject to changes, of course, due to accidents, to illness. The crew comprises J. J. Deknoop, bow, 156 pounds; C. K. Phillips, No. 2, 174 pounds; E. C. Sherwood, No. 3, 180 pounds; C. D. Burnell, No. 4, 188 pounds; E. R. Balfour, No. 5, 188 pounds; R. Carr, No. 6, 176 pounds; H. Graham, No. 7, 188 pounds; H. Gold, 8 stroke, 159 pounds; H. Pechell, coxswain, 115 pounds. The crew is generally looked upon as very promising and likely to prove very fast, even before the time of the race.

The Cambridge crew has also been decided upon. It consists of T. B. Hope, bow, 158 pounds; H. A. Game, No. 2, 176 pounds; D. Pennington, No. 3, 175 pounds; R. Y. Bonsey, No. 4, 178 pounds; Wm. A. Bieber, No. 5, 180 pounds; T. G. J. Duncanson, No. 6, 193 pounds; A. S. Bell, No. 7, 163 pounds; W. J. Fernie, 8 stroke, 170 pounds; T. S. Paget-Tomlinson, coxswain, 114 pounds. The crew is somewhat heavier than that of last year and already gives promise of developing a much greater degree of speed.

GENERAL GOSSIP.

Lady Henry Somerset will preside at a meeting in St. Martin's Town Hall, Charing Cross, on Monday evening February 24th. The meeting will consider and explain the objects of the National Council of Women of Great Britain and Ireland. Among those who will take part in the functions are Miss Eva McLaren, Prof. Roberts Austin, C. B., Mrs. Alex. Tweedie and Mrs. Hicks.

Frangeoen Davies, the bass singer, will shortly leave London for a tour in America.

George Fox's opera "Nydia," which was first brought out at the Crystal Palace and subsequently produced in Drury Lane by Sir Augustus Harris, will be given in the form of a "Costume Recital" at the Royal Victoria Hall on the evening of March 5th.

Much interest is manifested in the forthcoming volume of the late Lord Leighton's academy address. Long before his death the President of the Royal Academy had this book in contemplation, but at the time of his death he had not arranged all details to his entire satisfaction.

Hall Caine's sister, Miss Lily Caine, is to be married in March to George Day, the popular young dramtist.

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Five Splendid Divisions and a Variety of Well Made Floats.

A POPULAR DEMONSTRATION.

Washington's Birthday Brings a Huge Host to the Town.

Oakland stayed at home to celebrate Washington's Birthday. It is needless therefore, to say that the celebration was a pronounced success. The public procession which has been in course of preparation for several weeks past was never exceeded in size by any that took place in this city, save, possibly, that of the Fourth of July of last year.

Many of the merchants and manufacturers closed the doors of their places of business, and the front of nearly every store in the heart of the town testified to local patriotism by beautiful and artistic decorations.

The streets early filled wit hpeople anxious to obtain a view of the anticipated spectacle. They lined Broadway and the cross streets along which it was announced the line of march extended. They filled every avaviilable door, window, roof and place of vantage along the route.

The procession was announced to move at 10 o'clock, but was delayed some time beyond that hour. When at length it got under way it was with a great alarm of trumpets and the cheers of hundreds. In the advance rode Chief of Police Lloyd, Captain Wilson and Sergeant Hodgkins, and then a platoon of 20 men officered by Capt. Wilson.

Grand Marshal Henry Dalton came next. He was on a fine white horse. He wore a broad sash of gold colored silk extending over the right shoulder and fastened on the left side by golden stars.

Then came Chief of Staff Samuel P. Bodwell, with a Red White and Blue sash, color bearer, Bugler, Aids to the Grand Marshal, F. E. Pierce, E. A. Sherman, Jr., D. W. Martin, C. L. Pierce, J. W. Laymance, G. I. Taggart, Theo. Gier, W. Mathews, O. L. Bell, W. M. Gardner, H. L. Weitzel, G. H. Vose, Jr., A. Humphreys, A. B. Tennant, J. E. Holmes, N. W. Leitch, J. G. Chambers, Wm. Higby, Dr. R. W. Rogers, E. D. Lune, W. N. Pierce, W. B. Hodges, G. W. Brower, C. W. Petrie. These wore blue sashes, white trousers and top boots.

The next was a float of the American flag formed of young ladies dressed in appropriate colors to represent the national standard.

THE FIRST DIVISION.

The first division next advanced with Captain Charles K. King as marshal. His aids were C. M. Ingerson and S. K. King. These were followed by the Fifth Regiment Band, with their white and blue uniforms discoursing martial music. After them came the excellent drum corps of the regiment, twelve strong, and drumming like one man.

Then came the battalion of the Fifth Infantry, under the command of Major J. F. Hayes on an excellent mount. The several companies were officered as follows: Company A, Capt. T. C. Poulter, Second Lieut. Vaughn; Company F, Capt. G. H. Wethern, First Lieut. W. H. Cobbledick, Second Lieut. S. E. Wenk; Company G, Capt. W. F. Chipman, First Lieut. W. W. Simpson.

The next feature was a large float representing Washington and the cherry tree. There was also a tent with a field piece and several soldiers representing continental and federal armies.

The next feature in the parade was the Grand Army. The post represented by Lyon and Appomattox. George A. Norton was in command of the first mentioned, and with that post was a feature that thrilled many an onlooker. It was the battle flag of the California regiment which did service in the war of the rebellion. It was borne by Gen. Thompson, late commandant at Yountville, a man who, enlisting as a private, rose to the position of brigadier in defending the same flag. The general is still erect and martial in his bearing, and made an imposing feature as he walked with that banner, its tattered remnants telling of the rebel bullets that had sped through it and the dead that fell beneath it.

The veterans marched well, despite their infirmities, and there was no doubt they appreciated the distinction which was accorded them of having risked their lives for home and country.

Appomattox post was commanded by J. F. Pierce, and shared the honor of Lyon post, and the stalwart standard bearer.

This post was followed by Admiral Porter post, which is the only post of the order in the city.

Then came carriages containing John A. Sands, President of the day, Major E. A. Sherman, Dr. George C. Pardee, Mayor Davie, George L. Fish, George Kaufman, J. M. Bassett, Dr. T. L. Carpenter, President of the Celebration Committee, City Attorney Piersol, City Engineer Wilson, City Clerk Tompkins, members of the Council, Board of Education and Board of Supervisors.

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THE SECOND DIVISION.

The second division was marshalled by E. C. Lyon. His aides were C. C. Gilbert, A. E. Isaac and A. L. Todd.

The Veteran Firemen of San Francisco were next in order. It was their first appearance in this city. They conquered everybody as they advanced. They were headed by their own band of eighteen pieces, which played with a precision suggesting the methods of Sousa, the march king. There were ninety-four men in line. They were all stalwarts. It really seemed as if the fire fighters of others days must have found vigor in the work, because every one of those in the procession seemed hardy to fight time for as many years more as they fought the flames. Each man wore his heavy black fire helmet, traditional red shirt with black cravat, black patent-leather belt, black trousers, and a fatigue cap on the hip. Each also held the rope attached to the hand engine of the company.

They were accompanied by their officers as follows: President, Jos. S. Marshall; first vice-president, S. Bunner; second vice-president, Geo. Carlisle; third vice-president, W. H. Miller; financial secretary, Gus Pohlmann; recording secretary, W. A. Scully; treasurer, W. Frankrugh; sergeant-at-arms, John H. Burns; Board of Directors, W. Rantringer, John Foley, Frank Terramorse, Thomas Connell, Alla Harris; trustees, Fred Will, Richard Harrold, and Cal Burns. The marshal was Joseph Marchall, who while a member of the Exempt and Veteran firemen, is also President of the Veterans and a member of the Fire Commissioners' Board in San Francisco. His aide was the stalwart S. Bunner. Both of these gentlemen carried a traditional silver trumpet; the bell of which was filled with a beautiful bouquet presented by Mrs. Lily Hitchcock Cort, who in the days when the boys ran with the machine, ran also, as a member of Company No. 5 over in San Francisco. Mrs. Colt is now a full fledged active member of the Veterans. It is needless to say the bouquets were appreciated by the recipients. Behind the company rolled the hand engine "Veteran." It is a stately mass of varnished and highly polished iron and glistening brass, appropriately inscribed. It was sparsely decorated with flowers, because flowers would only hide the brakes, the dome, the sides and other features which are reminders of a method of fire-fighting known no more in large cities.

Among the men in line were noted W. D. Farren, James Pennycook, B. Mayer, James Ford, D. DeBarnardi, Fred A. Will, George Lawton, Frank Terramorse, John Satchwell, Thos. Brady, John Watkins, John Carson, Richard Harrold, James Clark, C. G. Schaffer, C. H. McMahon, Thos. Kenny, P. Conners, John Fick, C. Wilton, John DeVaul, Thos. Cornell, Hugh Calvin, James Hayden, F. Fitzsimmons, Francis Goss, James McKeowen, Capt. Pharo, Ike Surhyne, Fred Kaufman, Wm. Kramer, Wm. Edwards, John Stout, Douglas White, George White, Jno. McCarthy, John Lynch, Capt. J. J. Herron, George Burkhard, Robt. Turner, E. T. Anthony, George Pigeon, John Nugent, James Clark, J. W. Scott, M. Barman, Dave Skehan, Jack Skehan, Wm. Dunn, C. Berholshime, Geo. Bayruther, Peter Brown, J. W. Kenny, Thomas Lord, Chas. Cram, P. Lahaney, L. Selinger, Ed. Saulsbury, John Carrol, J. B. Landa, Wm. Gantenes, F. Boehmer, H. Kohn, Joe Griffiths, J. Watkins, M. Breen, R. Butler, and many others.

THE THIRD DIVISION.

The third division followed, with C. H. Ingerson, marshal, C. C. Dryden, G. A. Waterbury and C. E. Randolph aides.

Then came a float representing the surrender of Cornwallis at Yorktown. This was well carried out, all the customes and action being historically correct.

The artillery band then followed, their red plumes and white helmets accentuating their military uniform.

Following was a float representing the thirteen original States, each represented by a young woman dressed in white, the genius of Columbia being represented by a fair-haired young creature. All the young women were really beautiful.

Uncle Sam personated by C. W. Corner, followed. Then came about four hundred patriotic citizens, and a number of councils of the Junior Order of United American Mechanics from San Francisco, and the following councils of this city: George A. Custer Council No. 22, James Monroe Council No. 24, Paul Revere Council No. 25, John A. Logan Council No. 31, Henry Clay Council No. 34. They wore white caps, some of the chapeaus being decorated with red, white and blue ribbon. Several of the councils bore red and white pampas plumes, which they held aloft.

A cavalcade of ladies, under the marshalship of Miss Abbie R. Taggart, followed.

Then came an immense float containing 13 young women representing the Union. Each was attired in the national colors.

Now came a deputation of the spirit of 1776, followed by a float representing the Red, White and Blue.

Alameda was represented by Council No. 35 W. A. P. A.. This comprised about a dozen ladies in a carryall. Each had her hair powdered by way of recalling the colonial dames of America.

THE FOURTH DIVISION.

The fourth division was commanded by E. A. Von Schmidt, whose aides were W. H. C. Behrens and Charles Ruprecht.

This was headed by a drum corps of D. Company of Second Regiment B. B. C. L. with N. Cobbledick in command. It headed a float, one interesting feature of which was a school house.

Next came a float representing the rigors of the winter in Valley Forge and the suffering endured by the patriots.

Then followed the schools of the city, and this was one of the imposing features of the procession. Each school seemed to vie with the others in making a fine appearance. Each also was headed by a drum corps in most instances composed of smaller boys. Where the little ones mastered the art of drumming is unknown, but it is a fact that they have acquired wonderful dexterity with the sticks and a faculty of keeping march time.

Each school was headed with a banner of hardy proportions of a flag appropriately inscribed. Every boy had a flag on his cap, lapel or hand or else had a distinguishing badge on his breast to indicate his school.

It would be difficult to say which school presented the most imposing or the more military appearance. The marching of each was done with ease and grace and evoked a great deal of commendation all along the line.

The schools and their principals in line were as follows:

High School, J. B. McChesney; Durant School, S. G. S. Dunbar; Garfield School, Mrs. Ellen Gibbs; Grove Street School, Mrs H. D. Standeford; Lincoln School, T. O. Crawford, Swett School, J. H. Summer; float, "Utah Coming into the Union;" Cole School, G. W. Frick; Franklin School, J. F. Chandler; Grant School, Miss Elizabeth Powell; Harrison School, Miss H. M. Mullen; La Fayette School, Miss A. F. Aldrich; Prescott School, C. F. Gullick; Tompkins School, C. E. Markham; Piedmont, Peralta, Golden Gate, Emeryville, Alameda, Berkeley, Temescal Public Schools.

THE FIFTH DIVISION.

The fifth division followed with George Baxley, marshal, and F. W. Craig and Louis Kreiss, aides.

The first feature of this division was a cavalcade of about 200 horsemen under the leadership of P. J. Keller of Piedmont. This was one of the largest and most military looking bands of mounted men that ever appeared in line in this city. Each man wore a sash of patriotic colors and Chief Keller was decorated with regalia of wine colored velvet and gold.

The fire department followed. At the head rode Chief Fair in his buggy. Then came the men attached to Phenix engine in the traditional fireman's uniform. Next came the engine glistening like polished silver and reflecting on all sides beautiful decorations of flowers and national colors. The horses were in magnificent tettle and seemed to feel that they too had to show off on the occasion. Following was the hose wagon, which was also gaily decorated, while the horses pranced along the roadway. Then came the Thirteenth street chemical engine decorated with flowers and hose No. 1, with the men carrying immense Japanese parasols. The hose cart was covered with flowers. The hook and ladder truck was preceded by its men and was itself loaded with garlands of smilax and flowers.

Company No. 6, followed and all the apparatus was decorated in a beautiful manner.

A varied assortment of private vehicles brought the procession to a close.

The procession moved along the following streets: Along Broadway to Fifth street, to Washington, to Fourteenth to San Pablo avenue, to Sixteenth street, to Telegraph avenue, to Fourteenth street, along Broadway to Second street, countermarching to Eighth street where it was reviewed by the grand marshal. The divisions lined on the east and west sides of Broadway. The school children marched in review of both lines.

After singing "America" en masse the parade was dismissed.

AT THE CHURCH.

Patriotic literary exercises will be held at 8 P. M. in the First Congregational Church, corner of Twelfth and Clay streets.

AT THE TABERNACLE.

The Y. M. I. Will Give a Fine Celebration Tonight.

Final arrangements for the celebration of Washington's Birthday by Councils No. 6, 8 and 31, Y. M. I., which takes place at the Tabernacle tonight are now completed.

Rev. Arthur W. Clark, C. S. P. will be the orator of the evening, his subject being "The Opinions of Great American non-Catholic Citizens on the Catholic Church."

Father Clark is a member of the Order of Sons of Revolutionary Sires. His great grandfather took part in the Revolutionary War and was on intimate terms with Washington, Lafayette and other heroes of that great struggle.

The musical part of the programme will be in keeping with the day. Miss Lottie Crawford of St. Joseph's choir, San Francisco, will sing "Columbia, the Gem of the Ocean." Aide W. Clarke Wilson will give "The Star Spangled Banner." There will be a duet and a quartette from St. Mary's College and several other numbers.

The committe of arrangements wish to correct the impression that there is to be an admission fee or that invitations will be required. The meeting is free and all are welcome. Several of the Y. M. I. Councils of San Francisco will be present.

POPULAR VISITORS.

Veteran Firemen Entertained by the Local Body.

At the close of the procession a committee of the Exempt Firemen of this city waited upon the Exempt Firemen from San Francisco and escorted them to the hall, 418 Eighth street, immediately opposite The Tribune office.

There there was provided an excellent lunch such as the veterans could and did appreciate after their long march.

After the solid and substantial refreshments had been disposed of Brother Poklman of San Francisco sang "When We Ran with the Old Machine" and the whole crowd joined in the chorus. Cigars were passed around and then the men wandered to the street while the band of the veterans serenaded The Tribune.

The visitors then became the guests of Leslie Blackburn, who invited them to partake of his hospitality at Joe Boquet's place in the Galindo hotel, an invitation which was cheerfully accepted, because Leslie is a member of the Veterans and has been with them from their inception.

The veterans then took a short march through town and returned to the Tribune office, where their band gave an excellent concert. They left for home at 2 o'clock.

Among the Oakland people who were active in entertaining the guests were Billy Moore and ex-Chief Lawton.

ST. MARY'S COLLEGE.

The Class of '97 Presents an Entertainment of High Order.

There was a grand celebration in honor of Washington's birthday at St. Mary's college last night.

It was held in the large exhibition hall of the institution which was beautifully decorated with national symbols and flowers.

There was a large attendance of friends of the institution and the class of ninety-seven, under whose auspices the entertainment was given. The front page of the programme was occupied by a finely executed vignette of George Washington.

The members of the class of '97 comprises Rev. Brother Benedict, Robert G. Drady, William A. Hughes, Joseph J. Hooson, J. William Solen, John J. Greeley, Bernard J. Flood, Thomas H. Richardson and William F. Murphy.

The exercises opened with the overture, "Columbia March," by Schrammel, which was finely executed by the college orchestra. Introductory remarks, in an eloquent manner, were made by Thomas H. Richardson, the president of the day.

All of the features of the programme, whether of a literary or musical character, were excellently rendered and many of them were of a decided patriotic character appropriate to the occasion.

The other features of the programme were as follows:

Vocal Duet, "The Two Sailors"...Parry
J. W. Solen, R. G. Drady.
Recitation, "The Midnight Mass" ....White
William A. Hughes.
Vocal Solo, "Memories of Childhood" ....Graham
J. William Solen.
Selection, "America"....Phillips
John J. Greeley.
Vocal Quartette, "The Sword of Bunker Hill"....Wallace
J. W. Solen, G. E. Hayward, R. G. Drady, H. J. Swords.
Interlude, "American Airs"....Wiegand
Orchestra.
Extract, "The American Flag".Beecher
Joseph J. Hooson.
Vocal Duet, "A, B, C"....Parry
J. L. Jaunet, J. L. Taaffe.
Oration, "The Character of Washington"....J. William Solen
Instrumental Solo, "Rondo Capriccioso"....Mendelssohn
F. Schorcht, Jr.
Recitation, "Death of Benedict Arnold"....Lippard
Robert G. Drady.
Vocal Trio, "O, Restless Sea"....White
J. L. Jaunet, J. W. Solen, H. J. Swords.
Recitation, "The Dandy Fifth"....Cassaway
Bernard J. Flood.
Finale, "Souvenir Quipstep"....College Orchestra.

WOMAN'S WORK.

Local Talent Well Applied in a Special "Enquirer."

The Washington's Birthday edition of the Enquirer issued today shows that Oakland women do not have to take a back seat when it comes down to getting out a newspaper. They had full charge of the issue and they filled its columns with interesting and well-prepared matter. Mrs. Alice M. Stocker, the editor-in-chief, directed the destinies of the day in a most able manner and her assistants developed both talent and enterprise. Among the many contributors were Mrs. Donald McLean, Mrs. Wm. Keith, Emily C. Remsen, Katherine A. G. Patterson, Mary E. Holmes, S. C. Sanford, Sarah C. Borland, K. P. S. Boyd, Emorita E. Echlin, Mary Fairweather, Eunice A. Preston, Sarah M. Severance, Grace M. Kimball, Lucy Ellis, Mrs. R. F. Coyle, Emma Shafter Howard, and Mary Lambert.

The Regatta.

The Pioneer Boat Club of San Francisco beat the Columbias in the first race this afternoon.

The South End beat the Universities.

Mrs. Wilmore in Jail.

Young Abe Majors has "peached" on Mrs. Wilmore, the mother of his youthful partner in the safe cracking business, and as a result this woman, who has posed as a pillar in the church, and quoted biblical phrases galore to the reporters, is now locked up in the city prison with a charge of burglary against her

A RATTLING ROAD RACE.

Henry Noonan Comes in First and F. C. Hansen Second.

C. S. Wells of the Bay City Wheelmen Captures the Time Prize.

The twenty-five mile bicycle race of the Associated Cycling Clubs, took place over the San Leandro triangle this morning. A large crowd of spectators lined the road on either side of the start and finish. They were kept off of the course by ropes.

At 10 o'clock Starter DeWitt Van Court of the Acme Club sent the first man out. From that time until the finish it was anybody's race though the scratch men were too heavily handicapped to stand a show at any time for first place. At the end of the first lap G. W. Thomas of the C. C. C. led, followed by F. G. Thomas, A. C., F. C. Hansen, C. C. C., and C. Myrick, R. C. W. in the order named.

At the end of the second lap A. O. Ortlon, I. C. C. was in the lead, T. C. Hansen, F. G. Thomas and Henry Noonan being in the same bunch. The scratch men staid together near the end of the procession.

The first half dozen finished in a group. Henry Noonan, S. R. W. led by a few inches, F. C. Hansen being second.

The other finished in the following order: F. S. Thomas, Acme; A. O. Ortlon, O. C. C.; J. E. Scott, Acme; G. W. Thomas, C. C. C.; E. J. Smith, Acme; F. L. Thiel, S. F. R. C.; J. R. Kenna, Acme; G. H. Crafts, Acme; R. C. Raynaud, E. C. W.

Half a dozen followed and then the scratch men were announced by a shout. Wells, B. C. W., finished first, with Edwards, O. C. W. close at his heels. A lasso would have caught the group. The time was caught at 1:11:50 2-5. Smith of Acme made a good run.

Several minor, though not serious accidents, befell both wheels and wheelmen. C. W. Conger fell in the first lap and drew out. At the finish Nissen of the Acme was coming in at a rapid pace when his wheel struck the one in front of him. He fell heavily, cutting his arms and shoulder painfully. No bones were broken, however.

HIRSHBERG SUCCEEDS IRISH.

Governor Budd has removed John P. Irish as a director of the Blind Home, and has appointed D. S. Hirshberg, of this city, in his stead.

Broke His Knee.

Moses Asher, of Fifth street and Broadway, fell and fractured his left knee cap this morning. He was treated at the receiving hospital.

Union Street Presbyterian church, Rev. Dr. Brick preaches at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M.

Why Do You Persist?

In buying poor candies when you can buy the finest and purest for the same price at Lehnhardt's, 1159 Broadway, between Thirteenth and Fourteenth.

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Carpets and Mattings.

Parlor furniture, bed lounges. They must be sold at once at H. Schellhaas', 408 Eleventh street.

What $1 will do, see Laymance's advertisement in this paper.

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GRUGGEL—In Pleasant Valley, Piedmont, February 20, 1896, Irma Mathilda, beloved daughter of A. R. and Eugenie Gruggel, a native of Pleasant Valley, aged 3 years, 3 months, 13 days.

Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend the funeral Sunday at 2 o'clock P. M. from the residence of the parents, corner of Piedmont Valley Road and Linda avenue, Piedmont.

Interment St. Mary's cemetery.

PUMYEA—In this city, February 21, 1896, Peter, beloved husband of Lovain Pumyea, a native of Illinois, aged 51 years, 3 months, 4 days.

Marysville papers please copy.

Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral Sunday, February 23, 1896, at 2:30 P. M. from his late residence, 940 Alice street, under the auspices of Oakland Lodge No. 18, I. O. O. F., Live Oak Lodge No. 17, K. of P., and Gray Eagle Tribe No. 65, I. O. R. M. Interment Mountain View Cemetery.

DANN—In this city, February 20, 1896, Anna M., wife of Nels P. Dann, and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hector Morrison, a native of San Francisco, aged 33 years.

The funeral will take place Monday, February 24, 1896, at 10 o'clock A. M., from the residence of her parents, 1771 Seward street, Oakland.

NOTICE!

Grey Eagle Tribe No. 65, I. O. Red Men, will meet at their hall, Sunday, 1 P. M. sharp, to attend the funeral of Brother P. Pumyea.

By order of the Sachem.

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DO YOU want a bicycle? Do you want to sell one? Have you a fire-proof safe you wish to dispose of? Advertise your wants in the Tribune Classified.

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NOTICE—To buyers of household goods. Patronize the old reliable firm of H. Schellhaas, 408 11th st. You will find goods just as represented. Our motto: "Do as you would be done by."

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DODGE & FRY—Attorneys-at-law, 906 Broadway, rooms 21 and 22, Blake & Moffitt building.

HARRY A. MELVIN—Attorney-at-law; office of prosecuting att'y, City Hall.

Z. N. GOLDSBY—Attorney-at-law, No. 957 Broadway, rooms 1 and 2.

FRANK W. SAWYER—Attorney-at-law, 906 Broadway, rooms 72-3-4, Oakland.

FOX & GRAY—Attorneys-at-law, Pacific Mutual building, entrance 6, fourth floor, San Francisco.

WASTE & STETSON—Attorneys and counselors-at-law, 906 Broadway, rooms 13 and 14, Blake & Moffitt building, Oakland, California.

E. H. SHAW—Attorney-at-law, 906 Broadway, rooms 53 and 54.

GEORGE E. DE GOLIA—967 Broadway, northeast cor. of 9th st., Oakland, room 2, telephone No. 38.

JOHNSON & SHAW—Law office, 921 Broadway, rooms 2, 3 and 5.

MELVIN C. CHAPMAN—Attorney-at-law, 357 Broadway, Oakland, Cal., rooms 3, 4 and 5.

NYE & KINSELL—Attorneys-at-law, 861 Broadway.

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SNOOK & CHURCH—Attorneys-at-law, room 3, dist. atty's office, Court House.

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WANTED—A young lady typewriter; call 1162 Washington st., room 32, from 9 to 12 Thursday. Arthur C. Reeves.

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SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE.

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WANTED—A clothing salesman who can speak Spanish and Portugese. Flood building, R. 7., S. F.

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WANTED—A first class cook for private family; $30 per month; Catholic preferred; also a good cook for private boarding house; good places for girls for housework; good wages. Call at Hair Store, 1153 Washington st.

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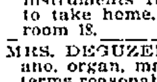

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$2950—Modern 5 room cottage, stable, large lot 50x100; central location; 18th and Grove st. Laymance & Co., No. 466 8th st. 174A

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$650—Newly painted and papered cottage, 3 rooms, small lot; 15th st.; a bargain; terms. Laymance & Co., No. 466 8th st.

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$4500—160 acres Lake County, 35 in fruit; residence, out houses and implements; exchange for Oakland property. Laymance & Co., No. 466 8th st.

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FOR SALE—On account of departure from this State, the owner of a 4 room cottage with lot 75x140 feet at the southeast corner of 17th av. and East 21st st., will sell the property at the low figure of $2000, cash. Mortgage of $600, may be assumed. Apply to Albert Schmidt, 620 East 12th st., East Oakland.

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REAL ESTATE.

MUST be sold this week, cottage of 4 rooms and bath, and cottage of 6 rooms and bath; lot 50x135, situated on 13th near Wood st.; rents for $20, make offer. W. P. Ryan, 960 7th st.

FRUITVALE Terminal Tract—Four car lines; low prices, easy terms; among established improvements; lots $100 up; $5 per mo. D. Pratt, Fruitvale sta. The McCarthy Co., 646 Market st., S. F.

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A house of 5 rooms, one block from Telegraph av., lot 50x100, can be bought for $800; large tank house, shingled, and first class in every way; house in good repair; can you do better? For further particulars apply to A. J. Snyder & Co.

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THREE room house, hard finish, lot 47x250, can be bought for $650 on easy payments; lot faces on two streets and handy to San Leandro electric line, couple blocks from power house at Elmhurst.

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TO DENTISTS—A rare opportunity to secure a suite of exceptionally light and sunny apartments overlooking San Pablo, 11th and Broadway; also suitable rooms single or en suite for doctors; splendid business location; inspection invited. Mrs. C. B. Bruhn, Playter Blk.

ROOMS WANTED.

A YOUNG gentleman wishes a small, furnished room in a private family, with some advantage of studying shorthand evenings. Address C. K., box 3, Tribune.

WANTED—Two or 3 connecting rooms, completely furnished for housekeeping; also 1 single sunny room and bath. Apply or address at once. Mrs. Ford, 668 9th st.

HOUSES TO RENT.

TO LET—Unfurnished, a nice cottage of six rooms and basement on lot 60x150; furniture for sale. Apply on premises 1271 7th av., East Oakland.

$20—ELEGANTLY papered sunny cottage, 7 rooms, bath, laundry, all modern improvements, fine basement water free. 1156 Peralta st. near 13th st. Key at 1013 Chester st., near 12th st.

FOR RENT—A newly furnished 2 story cottage; electric bells, lights, velvet carpets; everything complete. Apply 1108 Broadway.

FOR RENT—In Elmhurst, a house of 7 rooms, just renovated; in perfect order. Well and city water, flowers, fruit, shade trees and stable. Inquire of Mrs. E. J. Haney near Jones av.

FURNISHED HOUSES TO RENT.

FOR RENT—Or sale; furnished cottage; stable, chicken yard; rent $12.00; $1200. Easy terms; also room for millinery or other business; Springstein's Hair Parlors, 1050 Broadway.

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Notice to Creditors.

ESTATE OF DOLLY S. WEBSTER, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, executor of the estate of Dolly S. Webster, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers within ten months after the first publication of this notice to the said executor at the offices of E. M. Gibson and Welles Whitmore, No. 1003½ Broadway, Oakland, Cal., rooms 7 and 8, which said office the undersigned selects as his place of business in all matters connected with the said estate of Dolly S. Webster, deceased.

J. H. SUMNER,
Executor of the estate of Dolly S. Webster, deceased.
Dated, Oakland, February 22d, 1896.
E. M. Gibson and Welles Whitmore, attorneys for said executor.

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DEEDS.

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 21, 1896.

E. P. and Vivian P. Vandercook to M. H. Eastman, E Van Dyke av. 141.20, N 4th av. N 50, E 125, S 38.45, W 41.66, S 11.55, W 83.34 to beginning, being lot 22, Ridgewood; QCD. $10.

Gertrude B. Wurts to Albert S. Woodbridge NE Lincoln av. and Spruce st. E 44 x N 110, blk G, Clinton Mound tract; NE Lincoln av. and Spruce st. E 132 x N 250, being lots 1, 2, 3, 12 and 16, blk G, same; $10.

Sibyl S. and H. H. Schrader to Mark S. Baker, lots 1 to 8, blk D, Broadway Terrace tract, subject to a mortgage; $10.

Pacific Coast Savings Society to Alexander Johnson, W Park st. 110.2¼, S Buena Vista av. S 35.4½, W 106 3¼, N 35, E 107.60, to beginning, blk 16, lands adjacent to Encinal; $2300.

J. C. and Mary E. McMullen to Mary H. Buck, wife of J. J., lots 15 and 21, blk 1, lot 16, blk 2, Grove st. line tract; $10.

Fred and Frieda Harder to Emily Wendt, wife of Oscar, T Virginia st. 120, 1; Grant st. E 40 x S 135.4½, blk 1, State University Hd Assn., No. 4; $100.

Emma L. Bowne to Harriet A. Pratt, sub F, bounded by Merrill av. Lloyd av. Wheeler av. and Lane st., being portion Fruitvale Terminal tract; $10.

H. C. Morris to Thomas Nuttall, S Jones av. 50, W Chestnut W 150 x S 125, being lots 9, 10, 11, blk 12, Warner tract; $10.

D. J. Buckley to Hyacinth Gil, SW 15th and Cypress W 74 x S 32, blk 582 B, Bagge tract; $5.

Harry H. Seawell to E. T. Leiter, W West st. 111.26, N 36th or Logan N 25 x W 108.21, being lot 5, blk H, Major Given tract; $10.

Tillie Campbell to E. A. Heron, NW Broadway 210, NE Edith NE 30 x NW 100, blk 1, Broadway Terrace, subject to a mortgage to University of California for $70, $10.

Fred W. and Rebecca C. Gilman to Harry H. Seawell, W West st. 111.26, N 36th or Logan N 25 x W 108.21, being lot 5, blk H, Major Given tract; $10.

Frank M. and Rose H. Wilson to L. D. Syle, S Virginia st. 225 E Le Roy av. E 50 x S 125, being lot 10, blk 18, Daley's Scenic Park; $10.

James L. and Mary C. Barker to David B. Hunter, NW Dwight Way and Ellsworth W 50 x N 100, blk 4, College Hd.; $10.

C. D. and Edith A. Brunn to Charles A. Mohrhardt, S Durant av. 305 E Ellsworth st E 50 x S 130, blk 12, College Hd.; $10.

Manoel T. and L. M. Sousa to Jos. T. Sousa, und. ½ int. 2.503 acres NE county road San Leandro to Oakland, 105.41½ feet, N from S corner lands of Maurice Welch, thence NE 1035.54 feet x NW 105.11½, reserving strip 5 feet along said county road; grant.

Joseph T. Sousa to Manoel T. Sousa, undived ½ interest N line county road San Leandro to Oakland, at S corner 10 acre tract of Maurice Welsh, thence SE 1035.513 x NW 105 11½, except a strip 5 feet wide along said county road; grant.

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SHERIFF'S SALE.

HOMESTEAD LOAN ASSOCIATION OF BERKELEY, (a corporation), Plaintiff, vs. FRANK E. NELSON, et al., Defendants. No. 11,744

Under and by virtue of an order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale issued out of the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, of the State of California, on the 5th day of February, A. D. 1896 in the above entitled action wherein Homestead Loan Association of Berkeley, (a corporation), the above named plaintiff, obtained a judgment and decree of foreclosure and sale against Frank E. Nelson and Henry T. Lally, defendants, on the 29th day of January, A. D. 1896, for the sum of One Thousand and Eight and 25-100 dollars, in lawful money of the United States, besides interest, costs and counsel fees, which said decree was, on the 4th day of February, A. D. 1896, recorded in Judgment Book 12, of said Court, at page 125, I am commanded to sell all that certain lot of land, situate in the Town of Berkeley, County of Alameda, State of California, and more particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Commencing at a point in the easterly line of Pine street distant thereon two hundred (200) feet southerly from the southeasterly corner of Pine and Durant streets; and running thence southerly and along said line of Pine street one hundred and twenty (120) feet; thence at right angles easterly one hundred thirty-four and one-half (134½) feet; thence at right angles northerly one hundred and twenty (120) feet; and thence at right angles westerly one hundred thirty-four and one-half (134½) feet to the point of commencement; being the southerly forty (40) feet of Lot Three (3) and the northerly eighty (80) feet of Lot Six (6) of Block Ten (10), as said lots and block are delineated on a certain map entitled "Map of the Property of the Berkeley Villa Association," filed in the office of the County Recorder of said Alameda county on July 27th, 1875.

Public notice is hereby given that on

MONDAY, THE 2D DAY OF MARCH, A. D. 1896,

At 10 o'clock A. M. of that day, in front of the Broadway entrance of the Court House of the County of Alameda, in the City of Oakland, I will, in obedience to said order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale, sell the above described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to raise sufficient money to satisfy said judgment, with interest and costs, etc., to the highest and best bidder for lawful money of the United States.

Oakland, February 5, 1896.
CALVIN B. WHITE, Sheriff.
F. M. Husted, attorney for plaintiff.

PROBATE NOTICE

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of Naomi Kent Washburn, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc.

Notice is hereby given that a petition for the probate of the will of Naomi Kent Washburn, deceased and for the issuance to Caroline Webster, of letters testamentary thereon has been filed in this Court, and that Monday, the 2d day of March, A. D. 1896, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Court room of Department No. 4, of said Court, at the Court House in the City of Oakland, in said County of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition and proving said will when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated, February 13th, 1896.
(Seal) FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.
By F. D. Adams, Deputy Clerk.
Wm. H. H. Hart, No. 152 Crocker Building, San Francisco, attorney for petitioner.

ANNUAL MEETING.

The regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the California Improvement Company will be held at the office of the company, No. 1003½ Broadway, Oakland, on Tuesday, the twenty-fifth (25th) day of February, 1896, at 9 A. M., for the election of a board of directors for the ensuing year and the transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting.

T. F. SCANLON, Secretary.
Oakland, February 10th, 1896.

LEGAL

NOTICE.

State and County Taxes for the Year 1895.

STATE AND COUNTY TAXES FOR the year 1895.

To all taxpayers in the County of Alameda, State of California.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, tax collector of the County of Alameda, State of California, is in receipt of the assessment book of said County of Alameda, and that in accordance with the provisions of Section 3746 of the Political Code of the State of California.

Notice is hereby given that the assessment book for State and County taxes for the year 1895 on all property within the County of Alameda, has been received by me, and that the taxes as shown by said assessment book are now due and payable at my office in the Court House of said County of Alameda, in the City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, every day, (except legal holidays) during office hours, after the first Monday in October, 1895, and as follows:

The taxes on all personal property secured by real property, and one-half of the taxes on all real property in the said County of Alameda, will be due and payable on the

First Monday in October, in the Year 1895,

At my office in the Court House of said Alameda County, situated in the City of Oakland, in said county, every day (not a legal holiday) during office hours as fixed by law, and will be delinquent on the

Last Monday in November, 1895,

At 6 o'clock P. M. of said day and that unless paid prior thereto, fifteen per cent will be added to the amount thereof, and that if said one-half be not paid before the last Monday in April, 1896, five per cent will be added thereto.

And notice is further given that the remaining one-half of the taxes on all real property in said Alameda county for the year 1895, will be payable to the undersigned, tax collector of said Alameda county, as aforesaid, at the office of the tax collector, as aforesaid, on and after the first Monday in January, 1896, and will be delinquent on the

Last Monday in April, 1896,

At 6 o'clock P. M. of said day and that unless paid prior thereto five per cent will be added to the amount thereof.

Notice is hereby further given that all taxes may be paid at the time the first installment, as herein provided is due and payable.

And notice is hereby further given that in acordance with said Section 3746 of the Political Code of the State of California, and after the first Monday in October, 1895, all the taxes whether first or second installment, before delinquency thereof, or if delinquent, together with the percentage added thereto as is above set forth, may be paid to me at my office, as aforesaid, at any time during business hours as aforesaid, and after said

First Monday in October, 1895,

And upon such full payment being made, full receipts for the taxes both first and second installments will be given in accordance with law.

Dated at Oakland, California, this 12th day of October, 1895.

JAMES B. BARBER,

Tax Collector of the County of Alameda, State of California.

Notice of Hearing Before the Board of Supervisors of the County of Alameda of a Petition of A. P. Newbert and Others, for the Purpose of Regulating and Controlling the Charges for Water and Compensation to be Collected by the Contra Costa and Oakland Water Companies in the County of Alameda, State of California.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT on the 9th day of March, 1896, at the Board rooms of the Board of Supervisors of the County of Alameda, City of Oakland, of said County, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day or as soon thereafter as the same can be heard, the petition of A. P. Newbert and others for the purpose of regulating and controlling the rates and compensation to be collected by the Contra Costa and Oakland Water Companies, for the County of Alameda, will be duly heard and considered by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Alameda.

Said petition reads as follows:

PETITION FOR REDUCTION OF WATER RATES.

To the Honorable the Board of Supervisors of Alameda County:—

The petition of the undersigned respectfully shows and represents:

That the Council of the City of Oakland acting under the power conferred on them by law, have materially reduced the charge for the use of water supplied to the public by the Contra Costa and Oakland Water Companies and that the new rates made by the said City Council are based upon the entire plant of said Contra Costa and Oakland Water Companies and upon their entire revenue and are not confined to their expenditures and revenue arising solely within the corporate limits of the City of Oakland;

That therefore rates which will yield a lawful revenue within the said City of Oakland will also yield a lawful revenue when made applicable outside said limits;

That your petitioners are inhabitants of, and taxpayers of this County of Alameda, State of California, and reside outside the corporate limits of any City or Town in said County, and further represent that said petitioners are water-rate payers.

WHEREFORE the undersigned do hereby most respectfully petition your Honorable Board (acting under the powers conferred by law for the regulation of charges for the use of water as laid down by "An act to regulate and control the sale, rental and distribution of appropriated water in this State, other than in any City, City and County, or Town therein, etc." Approved March 12, 1885, regulate and reduce the rates lawfully to be charged by the Contra Costa and Oakland Water Companies for the use of water in the territory within your jurisdiction outside the corporate limits of the City of Oakland as will make them uniform with such lawful rates as were recently enacted to apply within the corporate limits of the City of Oakland;

And your petitioners will ever pray, etc.

A. P. Newbert, Elmhurst.
G. W. Sommers, Elmhurst.
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H. Meyer, Elmhurst.
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William Warrilow, Elmhurst.
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M. E. Allen, Elmhurst.
H. W. Whipple, Elmhurst.
Chas. Harrison, Fruitvale.
H. Hansen, Fruitvale.
Mary E. Werner, Fruitvale.
E. Gates, Fruitvale.

Said notice above set forth is made to notify all such persons, companies, associations and corporations mentioned in said petition and all persons interested in the matters of such petition and notice of the hearing of said petition of A. P. Newbert and others for the purpose of regulating and controlling the charges for water and compensation to be collected by the Contra Costa and Oakland Water Companies in the said County of Alameda.

By order of the Board of Supervisors.
(Seal) FRANK C. JORDAN,
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of Alameda County, California.
Dated, February 3, 1896.

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Deposits January 1, 1896..............4,975,302 45

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NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING OF STOCKHOLDERS.

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Whitney Transfer Co., a corporation, will be held at the office of the company, 927 Broadway, corner Tenth street, City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, on Tuesday, the tenth (10th) day of March, 1896, at 1 o'clock P. M., for the election of directors for the ensuing year and the transaction of such other business as may come before them.

GEORGE P. McNEAR, President.
W. L. ACHARD, Secretary.

ANNUAL MEETING.

The regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the California Railway, will be held at the office of the company, No. 1003½ Broadway, Oakland, on Tuesday, the twenty-fifth (25th) day of February, 1896, at 9 A. M., for the election of a board of directors and the transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting.

W. M. RANK, Secretary.
Oakland, February 10th, 1896.

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Alcazar—"Faust."
Tivoli—"Der Freischutz."
Morosco's—"Wife for Wife."
Columbia—"The Old Lime Kiln."
Orpheum—High Class Vaudeville.
Grove Street—"Two of a Kind."

SATURDAY..........FEBRUARY 22, 1896

An official statement has recently been made of the cost of that great engineering work, the Kiel Canal, which shows the reaching point to have been some $39,000,000. It is about 61 miles long, 20 feet deep at dead low water, and 229 feet wide, in numerous places the width increasing to some 428 feet, to allow the largest vessels to pass each other, and work will be continued until vessels of any depth can pass at low water. The embankment is stone-lined to a depth of six feet below the water; and the locks at the North Sea end of the canal are said to be the largest in the world, with the exception of that at Bremerhaven. Two bridges span it at a height of 137 feet above the water; and there are also six opening bridges and sixteen ferries.

The State of New York has just enacted a retaliatory insurance law. The bill excludes from New York State all foreign insurance corporations whose countries do not admit American insurance companies and it was enacted as a blow against the Prussian companies in consequence of Prussia's expulsion of the life companies of that city. The bill was supposed to exclude two companies, the Aachen and Munich and the Prussian National, but Weed & Kennedy, the American agents of the Aachen and Munich, say that their company has the right of hailing from Bavaria, so that the retaliatory bill will not affect them. It works the hardest against the Prussian National. Insurance men, both fire and life, hope that since the bill has become a law Prussia will come to its senses and readmit the rejected American life companies, which would settle the whole controversy.

While there is a prospect that the Rontgen discovery of X rays will be turned to good account in surgery, there is danger that it may lead to some abuses. This important statement is made by the professor: "There are many arts and sciences to which Prof. Rontgen's discovery will be of greater value than surgery. Its application to surgery will lead to many abuses. Everybody who has a bullet or other foreign object in his body expects it to be found by the new method and wishes to have it removed.

"After many years of practice in peace and war, I maintain that foreign objects, the presence of which in the body is not a source of trouble or danger, ought to be left where they are. The consciousness of having an extra bit of lead, for instance, in one's body, especially when it causes no inconvenience, does not in the least counterbalance the danger of the operation necessary for its removal, especially is this the case in war."

The Congregational Church Building Society is in a fair way to receive one of the largest bequests ever made to that society. The basis of this statement is furnished by the Inter-Ocean. "A million dollars for benevolences, especially these hard times, doesn't grow on every bush. Mr. Joseph Henry Stickney of Baltimore is the broad-minded and large-hearted man who, at his death, distributed a fortune of about $1,000,000 among some forty different societies, associations, colleges, and other institutions. Mr. Stickney was of Massachusetts birth, an ardent believer in the Congregational faith and order, and a life-long enthusiast in the matter of perpetuating the spirit and memory of the Pilgrim Fathers. According to the dispatch from Baltimore to the Inter-Ocean a large number of colleges in the interior and West and one or two missionary educational societies in Chicago were remembered in the munificent bequest. The residuary legatee under the will, it appears, is the Congregational Church Building Society, which, it is expected, will receive not less than $100,000.

Conspiracy to Extort Money.

Whatever else may be disclosed in the Brown case, it is clearly established that a conspiracy had been formed to extort money both from the accused and from many other persons. Some of them paid and some did not. There were at least three women engaged in the infamous business, and possibly more. One rich man was bled to the tune of $2,500. The greatest pains had been taken to conceal his name. If all the men who have been blackmailed in San Francisco would admit the fact there would be a small army of victims.

The testimony thus far employed to convict the accused has been, with one exception, the testimony of persons engaged in committing a series of felonies. If the Stockton woman in her evidence did not put the finishing touches on her own career, Judge Campbell certainly did. It might have been done somewhat at his own expense. He is the Judge of a criminal court, and though he took questionable means to find out the character of the Stockton woman, he laid bare one of the most infamous conspiracies to extort money and destroy character that has ever been made public in this vicinity. Dr. Brown may have many things to explain which do not now [illegible] on their face for his good reputation. But the conspirators are just [illegible] their hands in a way that [illegible] his strange case.

Where the Fool-Killer Was Needed.

President Jordan makes in his popular lecture a great many good points for the fool killer. The trouble is that he does not get in his work promptly. Thus, out there in Kansas, he has been neglectful of his duty. The Populists ran away with the State, and the fool killer looked on until they had done the mischief. The Sun cites some facts from the recent report of the Railway Commission of Kansas for 1895:

"It shows that, notwithstanding the improvement in many lines of commercial business in 1895, as compared with the preceding year, there was a decline of $10,000,000 in the gross receipts of the Kansas railroads. Of the twenty-six railroads reporting to the Railway Commissioners of the Sunflower State, only two earned enough to pay even a nominal dividend on the capital invested. Thirteen of the twenty-six railroads are, as the report shows, insolvent and in the hands of receivers.

"Not only has railroad building in that State been stopped, but the number of miles in operation was actually less in 1895 than in 1894, and less in 1894 than in 1893. There is no other State in the Union that shows a like retrogression; and while much of it is attributable to natural causes, the main damage has been wrought by the Populists. There is no security of property in Kansas; and her whole policy for years has steadily inclined toward confiscation, so far as speculative capital was concerned. The result has been the withdrawal of all capital that could be withdrawn and the paralysis of all new industries and new enterprises. It has been an expensive and a well-nigh fatal lesson, but it is doubtful if it be even fully learned by that deluded commonwealth."

Kansas, instead of gaining population, has lost 75,000 of its inhabitants in the last five years. These facts are a striking commentary on the political rule of that State for the last few years. The great practical experiment of the Populists was made in Kansas. The record of maladministration only differs from the records in other States where the same party has been uppermost for a time, in the extent of disastrous results.

For the Day.

One of the great holidays of the year has been accentuated today with more than the usual emphasis. The memory of Washington is the legacy of the Nation. At no former time has his character been dearer to the hearts of the people. This tendency to give, as it were, a stronger demonstration of love and veneration for the greatest character in American history, is in the right direction. There is a stronger inclination to think of him as an American, and to accentuate every word he ever uttered that goes to illustrate that view of his character.

It is not to be forgotten that Washington had the friendship and aid of many illustrious foreigners. Lafayette was a patriot after his own heart. What satisfied the great American leader was devotion to his country. It made little difference to him where a man was born, so that he was willing to stake all his interests for the welfare of the country. The man who is an American in that sense, sinks all the minor considerations of birth and residence for a time in foreign countries. If he is a true citizen he will love the country of his adoption better than any other in the world.

There has been a strong tendency of late years to convert a great many American youths into foreigners. Children are taken over to Europe by ambitious mothers to be educated. They learn to speak two or three foreign tongues better than their own. In time it turns out that they have no country—that is, no strong love of the land of their birth. Patriotism is not an inbred virtue. They are not proud of their own country because they have found so much to minister to effeminate ways abroad. It is timely on such a day to accentuate American citizenship. The ideal of that citizenship is a love of country which allows no other to have the first place. That is the one thought which the anniversary today accentuates above all others.

The human book worm has been caricatured many times. He is a harmless character who treats books lovingly, but sometimes forgets to return them. The New York Evening Post cites this instance. Mr. Austin, an assistant librarian, in cataloguing the fine Dante collection presented to Cornell University by Prof. Willard Fiske, found some live book worms in an edition of the Divine Comedy bearing the date MDXXXVI. This is the third time only that these rare insects have been found in an American library. Carefully removing the worms, which were eating from front to back, and had only reached the front pages of the Inferno, Mr. Austin took them to Prof. Comstock of the entomological department. There, after making sure that they were genuine book worms, they were developed and, having secured the beetles, they were bred from until there were sufficient eggs, book worms, and beetles for the University museum, and enough more to make Mr. Austin a present of a good-sized vial full of each.

The latest improvement in the X rays has been made by Edison, according to this announcement, sent out from Orange, N. J.:

"Thomas A. Edison today made pictures with the Roentgen X rays, exposing the sensitive plate, and objects to be photographed before the fluorescent tube for only one minute. The distance between the tube and the plate was only four inches. The inventor said that had he placed them as closely together as possible, he could he thought have secured a shadow photograph in a few seconds. Ordinarily it has required fifteen minutes to three hours to secure good results by all the experiments except Mr. Edison's, who had already reduced the time of exposure to two minutes."

The first point has been gained for the proposed ship canal from the Lakes to the Hudson River. The House Committee on Railways and Canals has ordered a favorable report on the bill of Mr Chickering of New York, directing the Secretary of War to cause to be made accurate surveys, examinations, and final estimates of cost of construction of a ship canal by the most practicable route wholly within the territory of the United States, from the great lakes to navigable waters of the Hudson River, of sufficient capacity to transport the tonnage of the lakes to the sea. An appropriation sufficient to enable the survey to be made is authorized.

An Astonishing Sequel of Crime.

When the two boys, Majors and Wilmore, were arrested in this city for a series of burglaries, everybody was astonished that two youngsters should be so old in crime. Where did they get their training? In what school had they been taught to become such experts? It now comes out that they had been trained by a woman, the mother of one of the boys. Mrs. Wilmore is now in jail accused of having a guilty knowledge of these burglaries and of inspiring the young men to lead criminal lives. There are bad women who can go to any extent in evil courses, but it is seldom that one hears of a mother who has deliberately trained her own children as criminals.

It may be a mitigating circumstance in the case of Majors and Willmore that they were induced to go wrong by the Wilmore woman. It was in her school of crime that they were taught. If heredity had something to do with this evil course, it is now apparent that environment and examples had much more influence. When a mother, and a professedly religious woman, opens a school of crime in her own home, what can be expected of the children? This second story is far worse than the first one.

These Winter Days.

February thus far has been an ideal month. There were a few frosty mornings, but as the days lengthened the frost disappeared. Three weeks and more of sunshine, with days so warm that no fires were required in houses, save for kitchen purposes. This warm season has brought out a profusion of buds and blossoms. Almond trees in blossom everywhere for the last two weeks, Acacia trees are in golden blooms, peach and pear trees pushing out their buds, and every rose garden becoming fragrant in the winter season!

A weather prophet who has "diagnosed" the season affirms that March will be a howling month. He insists that such sunny days in February will be balanced, as it were, by the fierce blasts of March. Rainy, sloppy weather must come. All weather is good, if one only knows how to enjoy it. These February days will compensate for the storms of March.

EVENTS OF THIS DATE.

A Daily Resume of History for Your Scrap Book.

On February 22d of the years named occurred the following important events in the world's history:

HOLIDAYS.

Saints Thalasius, Linnaeus, Baradet, Margaret. Legal holiday in all States except Arkansas, Iowa and Mississippi.

BIRTHS.

1723—Richard Price, satirist.
1732—George Washington.
1745—Charles, Duke of Richmond.
1756—Gilbert Wakefield, classical scholar.

DEATHS.

1371—David II. of Scotland.
1512—Amerigo Vespucci.
1609—Frederick I of Tuscany.
1639—Frederick Ruysch, anatomist.
1806—James Barry, painter.
1815—Smithson Tennant, chemist.
1816—Dr. Adam Ferguson, historian.
1845—Rev. Sidney Smith.
1867—Daniel Devlin, New York.
1875—Sheppard Knapp, New York.
1875—Sir Charles Lyell, London.
1878—Prof. Albert Smith, Peterboro, N. H.
1884—Samuel Morse.
1885—Gen. Horace Capron, Washington, D. C.
1885—Francis Samuel Drake, Washington, D. C.
1886—Rev. Dr. E. E. Cummings, Concord, N. H.
1890—John Jacob Astor.

OTHER EVENTS.

1813—British capture Ogdensburg.
1819—Treaty with Spain concluded.
1837—Jane and Margaret lost off Isle of Man; 206 lives.
1847—Battle of Buena Vista.
1856—American National Convention at Philadelphia, Pa.
1862—First Confederate Congress succeeds the Provisional.
1862—Jefferson Davis inaugurated President of the Confederate States for six years.
1865—Wilmington, N. C., captured by Gen. Schofield.
1866—President Johnson denounces Congress and the Reconstruction Committee in a speech at the Executive Mansion.
1868—Mr. Stanton refuses to vacate, and has Mr. Thomas arrested and held to bail.
1872—National Prohibition Convention at Columbus, Ohio, nominate James Black for President and John Russell for Vice President of the United States.
1877—Hon. John Walsh is presented with check for $50,000, which he gives to University of Pennsylvania.
1878—National Greenback party organized at Toledo, Ohio.
1884—Surrender of Tokai, Egypt, to the rebels.
1884—Funeral services in New York at the Church of the Holy Trinity for the victims of the Jeannette Arctic expedition.
1885—United States Marshal Gosling killed by prisoners in Texas.
1887—Opening of the Franklin Club building in Baltimore.
1887—Resignation of Hon. John Sherman as President of the Senate and election of Senator Ingalls to the chair.
1887—Dr. E. Smith Von Tavera appointed Austrian Minister to United States.
1889—Act dividing Dakota into two States passed the Senate.
1892—First Continental Congress of the National Society of the Daughters of the Revolution opened in Washington.
1893—City of New York and City of Paris transferred from British to American registry.
1893—President Harrison hoists American flag on New York.

HUMOROUS.

First Farmer—Has the lawsuit between you and Heysede been settled?

Second Farmer—Yes; and so are the lawyers.

"How do you mean?"

"They're settled on our farms."—Philadelphia Record.

Lady of the House—Would you be willing to work if you had a chance?

Wary Willy—How remote is the chance?—Puck.

First Clerk—Does your guv'nor ever tell you fellows funny stories?

Second Clerk—No; but we have to laugh just the same.—Amusing Journal.

Willie—I knew you were coming to-night.

Castleton—Why, Willie?

Willie—Sister has been asleep all the afternoon.—New York Truth.

A.—Political economy is a ticklish subject. A man has to be wide-awake to understand all about it. For instance, the very ideas of capital and labor——

B.—Look here! that is simple enough. Supposing I borrow 20 marks from you; that would represent capital.

A.—To be sure.

B.—Then after a while you would be trying to get your money back. That would be labor.—Zeitgeist.

A clerical error: A prolonged, prosy sermon.—Congregationalist.

"77" FOR GRIP

A Singer's Voice.

Mr. Alonzo Hatch, the sweet-voiced tenor says: "In January I was afflicted with a catarrhal cold in the head, extending to the throat, producing hoarseness and almost total loss of voice, on account of which I was obliged to cancel three weeks of professional engagements. I tried three physicians, and many remedies without relief. Finally a friend recommended "77," and, I am happy to state, I used it with most gratifying results. In five days I was sufficiently recovered to keep my engagements and now am entirely cured. Can heartily recommend it to the singing profession.'

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NOTES AND EXCERPTS.

Portugal will celebrate next year the four hundredth anniversary of Vasco da Gama's setting out on his voyage round the Cape of Good Hope to India.

At the forthcoming wedding in Portland the groom will promise to love, honor and obey his wife, who is a woman suffragist, and made her affianced agree to this.

The Connecticut State Prison directors have decided to detain George A. Minor, a convict, for twenty-five years after his present term of four years expires in March next. This is the first enforcement of the incorrigible law, which permits the directors to detain any prisoner who has served three terms of not less than two years each in the state prison. Minor began his criminal career thirty-six years ago. He has served eight sentences in the state prison, three since the passing of the law.

When Queen Victoria and Empress Eugenie are together they spend all their spare time in doing needlework for the poor. Both the Queen and the ex-Empress are fond of the old-fashioned style of embroidery. The Queen bestows all her handiwork upon her poor tenants at Balmoral and at Windsor. The Empress Eugenie sends hers to poor convents, whence it is distributed to the needy.

A new system of packing butter which does away with cold chambers is being tried in Australia. The butter is packed in cubical boxes made of glass, the joints being covered with adhesive, grease-proof paper. The boxes vary in size, holding from one pound to two hundred pounds. When a box is filled it is covered with a quarter of an inch of plaster of Paris, and this with prepared paper or canvas. The plaster, being a non-conductor of heat, preserves the hermetically sealed butter.

MENU FOR TOMORROW.

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 23RD.

BREAKFAST

Fruit
Wheatlet — Sugar and Cream
Mutton Chops — Potato Cakes
Waffles — Coffee

DINNER

Consomme
Roast Beef
Browned Sweet and White Potatoes
Cauliflower — Peas
Lettuce Salad
Wafers — Celery — Cheese
Iced Rice Pudding
Stuffed Dates — Bon Bons
Coffee

SUPPER

Lobster Salad
Lettuce Sandwiches
Sliced Oranges — Cake
Chocolate

After your dinner go to the Macdonough Bar (Fred. Ch. Poock) and get a creme de menthe—the best after dinner drink on earth.

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A new train throughout is now running daily between California and Chicago, equipped with Pullman's newest sleeping cars, chair cars and dining cars.

The Santa Fe route also maintains a line of tourist sleeping cars leaving daily from Oakland to Chicago without change. Personally conducted tourist excursions to Kansas City, Chicago, New York and Boston leave Oakland Wednesday, December 18 and 25, and January 1, 8, 15, 22, and 29.

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It is seldom an opportunity that will be offered on Monday, February 24, 1896, and following days, presents itself to the public. The fact is we have over 200 lots in the Warner, Moss, Fairview and Highland Tracts and which must be sold regardless of price.

The terms have been made so easy that any man, woman or child who has the capacity to earn money can easily lay aside $1 per week. That is not so much, if put into the Savings Bank will only amount to $52 per year. One or two dollars judiciously invested in land that is constantly increasing in value, will eventually lead to a fortune. The whole people of California now realize that land values are on the eve of a great advance.

While we take pleasure to announce to the public that we will offer this elegant property, located in the midst of fine improvements, we regret at the same time that we are compelled to make the sacrifice of the same that we will on February 24th and following days.

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The property located in the Warner Tract consist of over 100 lots in the first and second blocks of the Electric Road, the very cream of the Tract, and is within ten minutes ride to the City of Oakland and fifty minutes of San Francisco. There is sold in this Tract alone over 40 lots to bona fide purchasers. Over 300 new houses have been built in this district within the past three years; an elegant public school building costing $15,000 has been erected; a magnificent hotel, business houses, places of worship, streets graded, city water, in fact every convenience at your front door.

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Remember you have an opportunity of buying a lot from $75 and upwards to $500 if you take advantage of this offering at once. If you are desirous of building, arrangements can be made whereby you can pay for your home on easy installments. If you are not in need of a home make an investment for your children, it will pay you. Every lot purchased will be in the midst of improvements. You cannot make a mistake. The property must be sold.

If you do not make an investment for yourself or children in property that will double before paid for, it will not be our fault, we have presented you with the opportunity. Call early, select choice location, see the property before the 24th as no lot will be sold before that date. Full particulars at our office,

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TWO MEN BREAK JAIL.

They Cut Their Way Out of Chief Lloyd's Prison.

POLICE ARE IN PURSUIT.

The Escapes Were Employed in the Kitchen Acting as Cooks.

A LIME WALL CUT AWAY.

They Worked From Day to Day and Put Debris in the Ash Barrel.

THE FLIGHT TO FREEDOM

Once in the Yard, They Scaled the Fence and Reached the Street.

Breakfast was not served at the Oakland city prison at the usual hour this morning. There was a clamor for coffee and bread that was unheeded by the jail cooks. The reason for the break in the monotony was very simple. The cooks were not at their accustomed place at the range, and the coffee boiler stood cold and clammy while the prison keepers sought to learn the reason for the delay.

They soon discovered that the two trusties who had served as chefs had fled during the stillness of the night. They had neatly dug their way out of the prison and unceremoniously clambered over a couple of back fences to freedom.

Charles Reisart and Wm. Anderson, petit larceny thieves are the missing men, and their departure was so quietly taken that they successfully made their escape and have left a lot of policemen wondering "where they are at."

The usual time for breakfast is 7 o'clock. Two hours before that matters begin to stir in the kitchen, which is a small cubby hole off the main corridor, and ever looking on one side is a yard that is reached from the jail by a door and flight of wooden steps, four in number. This enclosure is fenced on one side by a 10-foot tight board surface, studded with nails along the top.

This yard opens in one direction upon a second enclosure, from which a door leads to the city corporation yard and junk shop, piled with assorted merchandise used by the street department. The police patrol wagon stable adjoins the inner yard to the north, and projecting along the north side of the city hall, shutting off view of the prison, the high board fence extends.

There was considerable risk attached to the escape over the fence that faces Fifteenth street, although the building occupied by the Board of Health forms a concealing wall for the immediate corner of the fence, and the side of the patrol wagon house, where the two prisoners made their escape, after cutting their way through the jail wall inside. The marks of footsteps show plainly where they landed outside the fence where the escaping prisoners alighted and started off towards Fifteenth street.

HOW THEY DID IT.

The methods by which the two escaped from the kitchen, where the rules of the prison require that they should be locked up at 5 o'clock each evening, is as follows: The two cooks sleep in the kitchen and are undisturbed until the morning hour, when they rise to prepare breakfast for their fellow-prisoners.

The pair had ample opportunity to make preparations for their escape. They found a vulnerable spot in the masonry that forms a portion of the foundation of the building.

Beneath a large copper cooking boiler in the kitchen is a space not more than 3x2 feet. This was found to be filled in between the granite with soft, crumbling, dusty lime. The cooks put their heads together and found that the mixture yielded readily to picking with a knife or hatchet.

By working the soft lime out in this fashion a space was left through which a small man might squeeze with considerable exertion. The hole led to the side of the stairway leading to the inner yard. The prisoners once in this yard had no difficulty in scaling the fence, notwithstanding the patrol wagon stable immediately adjoining, where a driver is on duty through the night. They did not arouse this officer, for nothing was known of the escape until night prison keeper Swain went to the kitchen to unlock the door, so that the cooks could begin to prepare the breakfast. Instead of finding his men, he discovered their absence and soon noticed where they had made their way out. Their refuse lime had been carefully concealed in an ash barrel in small quantities, so that no suspicion should be thrown upon them while they were boring their way out.

It is suspected they had been at work for some days, removing at night such a quantity of lime as they could and carefully concealing the aperture during the day time.

Both men are petit larceny thieves, serving terms of six months each. Anderson's time would not be completed until April 28th and Reisart had until May 11th to serve.

The escape was reported to Capt. Wilson this morning and he notified Chief Lloyd. Photographs and a description of the men were furnished all the officers and the detectives were ordered to make an immediate hunt for them.

AT MILPITAS TOO.

James Cooper and Frank Hayes Work Their Way to Liberty.

An epidemic of jail breaking has swept over the country. In addition to that at the city prison this morning, there was reported from Milpitas, the bewanting of James Cooper and Frank Hayes.

They worked their way out of the branch jail there and left no trail behind them.

PUPILS ENTERTAIN.

A Charming Celebration Held at the Harrison School.

The following excellent entertainment was given at Harrison school yesterday in commemoration of Washington's Birthday:

Song, "Welcome, Thou Festal Morn" ..... School
Song of Washington ..... School
Recitation, "I'm Washington"...Tom Kent
Recitation, by six little girls...First Grade
Class recitation, "The Youth of Washington" ..... First Grade
Song, "O, Have You Heard the Story Told," ..... Fifth and Fourth Grades
Recitation, George Reder, Willie Hone and Willie Bernhardt.
Recitation, "What Did Washington Look Like?" ..... Maud Lee
Song, "Union and Liberty" ..... Annie Wellerman
Recitation, "My Country's Flag," ..... Harold Brown
Song, "God Bless the Soldier"... School
"Liberty Bells," seven girls, second and third grades.
Recitation, "Cherry Trees" ..... Nelson Norwood
Recitation, "My Hero"...Rosie Pantoskey
Recitation ..... Bertha Heath
Concert Recitation, "Washington's Name" ..... Fourth Grade
Song, "Mt. Vernon Bells"..... School
Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag, Fifth Grade.
Song, "I Am a True American"....School
"The Hatchet Story," seven boys.... ..... Second Grade
Recitation ..... Chas. Trautman
Recitation, "Johnny Speaks His Piece" ..... Henry Greenough
Flag Exercise, seven girls...Fourth Grade
The Story of the Flag.....Fifth Grade
Recitation, "George Washington" ..... Maud Cohen
Song, "America" ..... School
Salute to the Flag ..... School
"Star Spangled Banner" ..... Fourth and Fifth Grades

LAYS FROM LOS ANGELES

A Jealous Contractor Attempts to Murder His Wife.

Wreck of the Riverside Local as It Came Into the City.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 22.—N. B. Foster, a contractor, attempted to kill his wife this morning.

He fired twice at her with a revolver.

The first shot passed through her hand which she had raised to prevent his shooting.

The plucky woman grabbed the revolver and the second shot took off the forefinger of the left hand of her husband.

She threw the revolver through the window and fainted.

Citizens secured Foster while he was trying to regain the weapon.

Jealousy of his wife is said to have impelled Foster to the deed.

A TRAIN WRECKED.

A wreck occurred this morning on the Southern Pacific road at Naud's Junction near the Kuhrts street bridge.

A switchman threw the switch too soon and the Riverside local, carrying a large crowd of Masons and others to the city, was nearly derailed.

The last car was thrown into the switch and crashed into a freight engine, ripping the side out of the car.

The fireman of the switch engine was injured about the head and an unknown colored man had both legs cut off.

The passengers were all severely shaken up.

MASONS TURN OUT.

The Masonic parade and ceremonies attendant upon the laying of the corner stone of the new Masonic Temple on Hill street, was one of the most impressive and magnificent spectacles ever witnessed in this city.

Ten thousand people were in line in the parade.

Governor Budd, Grand Master Preston and many other notables were present and participated.

Grand Orator Bycknell made the principal address.

Masons from every part of the State were present.

The Duchess of Northumberland is the possessor of a shawl which was presented by King Charles X. of France and which cost 500,000 francs. It is manufactured from the fur of a species of Persian cat. The hair of this cat is so extremely fine and elastic that a single hair is scarcely perceptible to the naked eye.

"You," said the careworn individual, "are the man who told me the right way to succeed politically was to trust the people."

"I am," replied the theoretical philosopher.

"Well, I done it. And not one of 'em will pay up. And the sheriff's got my saloon. And I'm goin' to lick you."

And brute force once more triumphed over philosophy.—Indianapolis Journal.

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REFUSES THE BELT.

Fitzsimmons Talks in a Way That Makes Corbett Red-Hot.

HE WON'T FIGHT JIM.

The Californian, He Says, Must First Meet Peter Maher.

CORBETT ANSWERS HOTLY.

He Calls the Australian a Coward and Talks Gorily.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

EL PASO, Tex., Feb. 22.—An Associated Press representative had a talk with Fitzsimmons about the Corbett challenge on his way in from the battle ground this morning.

Fitz said: "I shall completely ignore that fellow Corbett.

"It was a thousand dollars American money to one cent Mexican coin that 'Pomp Jim' would do just as he has.

"I shall use about the same argument once employed by Charlie Mitchell: 'Tell him to go get a reputation.' Let him whip Peter Maher and Joe Choynski before he opens his head to me.

"Both men want to fight him and I think either of them can lick him.

"This much I shall insist upon. He must first win from Maher and Choynski before he gets into the ring with me.

"I whipped with ease the man Corbett presented the championship belt to, in order to escape a match with him.

"To show Corbett how little weight his championship present carries, I formally, through the Associated Press, renounce all claim to the belt and refuse to accept it.

"I am going to Madison Square Garden for the night of February 29th, with half a dozen contracts I made conditionally on winning from Maher, and then, with Julian, Stenzler, Roeber and my family, I sail for England."

Fitzsimmons was met by a monstrous crowd here, the train arriving at 9 A. M.

Fitzsimmons and Julian drove to the State National Bank, but found it closed, it being Washington's Birthday.

The bank officers were found and they turned over to Fitzsimmons the $10,000.

Dan Stuart asked: "Gentlemen, have I conducted this affair to please you?"

Julian and Fitzsimmons responded they were entirely satisfied and shook hand all around.

Julian handed the Associated Press representative the following:

"To the Public: We desire to thank the kind people of Juarez, Mexico, for the kind and courteous treatment of us during the time consumed in training for the fight just ended. We shall always bear pleasant remembrances of that place and its charming people from the Governor down to the humblest man. We shall try to square ourselves honorably with the Mexican government if they think we committed any wrong.

"(Signed)" BOB FITZSIMMONS,
MARTIN JULIAN."

Maher's backers are going to challenge Fitzsimmons for another battle of $5000 a side.

It is understood Julian will offer Maher inducements for a four round glove contest at Madison Square Garden at New York on the 29th.

HOW CORBETT TAKES IT.

CHICAGO, Feb. 22.—Corbett, when shown the Associated Press dispatch announcing Fitzsimmons' refusal to fight him, simply said:

"He is a big coward. I will leave it to the public to judge whether I am correct or not. I predicted he would not make a match with me if he won the fight with Maher but if he goes to England he will find me in England after him. He said after his fight with Maher he would fight any man in the world. He is now getting out of the country as fast as possible, bag and baggage."

A CHARMING CONCERT.

A Splendid Programme Being Given at Blair Park.

The following excellent programme is being rendered this afternoon at Blair Park by the Oakland Band of Soloists:

George H. Richardson, director.

PART I.

1—March, "King Cotton".....Sousa
2—Overture, "Fra Diavolo"..... Auber
3—Caprice, "The Golden Blonde"..... ..... Ellenberg
(Solos for clarinets by Messrs. Ernst and Koogh.)
4—Grand Selection from "The Huguenots" ..... Meyerbeer
(Introducing all the principal melodies of Meyerbeer's greatest opera.)
5—Cornet solo "The Surf Polka"..... ..... Steinhauser
Performed by Mr. Herbert De Valle
6—Hunting scene (descriptive piece)... ..... Bucalossi
(Probably the most realistic descriptive piece written illustrating an English hunting party—The morning breaks calm and peaceful—The huntsmen prepare for the chase—The mount—The bugle sounds a merry blast—The echo—The parties join in the chase—The road alive with horsemen—On the scent with barking of dogs and galloping of horses—shout and Tally-Ho—In full cry—The death—The return home.)
7—Grand march from Tanhauser, Wagner
8—Trombone solo, "Image of the Rose" ..... Hausen
Performed by Arthur S. Morey.
9—Concert Waltz, "Un Bal a la Cour" ..... Fahlbach
(Opening with the celebrated Flambeau March.)
10—Village Life in Ye Olden Time..... .....Le Thiere
(Descriptive piece illustrating the daily life of the old Puritans—Night—Cows grow—Sunrise—Astir in the village—Song of children going to school—The blacksmith shop—The May queen—May pole dance—Curfew bell—Choral—The village choir—Moonlight and lovers' serenade—Grand finale.)
11—Medley Overture, "Last of the Hugenots" .....D. Braham
(Introducing Xylophone solo by Mr. Geo. Blake.)
12—Gallop from the opera of Orpheus and Euridyce .....Offenbach

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MURDER AND SUICIDE.

A Double Tragedy During the Night in San Francisco.

MAY CONWAY IS SHOT DEAD.

John Dolan Killed Her and Then Ended His Own Existence.

MORTON STREET ONCE MORE.

The Girl Was Well Connected but Had Gone to the Dogs.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 22.—Another murder to which is added a suicide was discovered in the demi-monde section of Morton street.

At 12:30 Lena Raymond, a resident of that quarter, went to call on May Conway, another courtesan, to keep a breakfast engagement.

Her knocks brought no response and looking through the keyhole the Raymond woman could see the gas burning and also two bodies lying on the bed.

A policeman broke down the door.

The Conway woman was lying dead on the bed with a bullet through her left temple.

Across the dead body lay that of a young man also with a bullet through his head.

The man had a revolver with two empty chambers in his hand.

The wounds on both bodies were blackened with powder.

There was no doubt it was murder and suicide, committed by the man, who is a stranger to the women of the district.

Both bodies were nude.

The Conway woman was twenty years old, rather pretty and well known in the half world.

She is a niece of Mrs. Douglass, wife of the police officer of that name and is related to Officer Conway.

Her room was at 108½ Morton street and she rented it about two weeks ago.

The man who killed her was seen to enter her apartments at 8 o'clock last night.

He was afterwards identified as John Dolan. He was formerly a barkeeper in Tiburon.

Lost a Fine Pointer.

H. McCracken, the well known dog fancier of San Francisco, reported the loss of his valuable pointed June H., to the police this morning. The animal is valued at $150 and is one of the regular prize winners at bench shows.

"BILL" NYE IS DEAD.

The Great Humorist Succumbs to a Stroke of Paralysis.

His Untiring Labors Closed too Soon A Bright, Vigorous Career.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CHATTANOOGA, Feb. 22.—(Bulletin)—A special to the News from Asheville, N. C., says that "Bill" Nye died there this afternoon.

His wife, two sons and two neighbors were at the bedside when the end came.

Ten days ago he had a stroke of paralysis, much more severe than the one at Patterson, N. J., when the cruel story that he was drunk, was sent out.

DEATH CAME SUDDENLY.

Michael Callaghan Expires While Being Taken to the Hospital.

Michael Callaghan, a laborer aged about 55 years, died last evening in a wagon while being taken to the Receiving Hospital.

He was found at the corner of Twenty-sixth street and Telegraph avenue by a Chinaman and a white man. Callaghan was evidently in distress and at his request they secured a wagon from Sanborn's nursery to take him to his lodgings at 414 Sixth street.

When they arrived at the house, Mrs. Sullivan, the landlady, refused to let them bring him inside. He had only been roaming there four days and she suggested that he be taken to the Receiving Hospital. They drove around Franklin street but upon arriving at their destination found that Callaghan was dead.

The remains were taken to the morgue where an inquest will be held next Monday.

FOUND HIM GUILTY.

Tacoma's Defaulting Treasurer Must Pay the Penalty.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

TACOMA, Feb. 22.—After being out all night the jury this morning brought in a verdict of guilty against James W. McCauley, ex-City Treasurer, charged with using public money for personal gain.

Bail was refused and the prisoner remanded to the custody of the sheriff.

The jury first stood seven for conviction and five for acquittal.

A Felonious Assault.

Peter A. Hogan, a North Oakland sewer contractor, swore to a complaint before Judge Clift yesterday afternoon charging Jacob Springer with an assault with a deadly weapon.

Springer keeps a saloon on Thirty-seventh street and San Pablo avenue and Hogan says that Springer struck him with a club and broke the wrist of his right arm.

Miss Smashum—I don't care for men; in fact, I've already said "no" to seven of them.

Miss Comely—Indeed! what were they selling?—Adams Freeman.

ARTHUR M'EWEN'S LETTER.

Rev. Dr. Brown Is Being Forced to Take Bitter Medicine by the Congregational Church Council.

HIS ARROGANCE IS MAKING A BAD IMPRESSION.

The General Feeling in the Community Is That He Should Be Convicted.

DRAIN OF THE RACE-TRACKS.

About Three Million Dollars a Year Extracted From the Community.

WHO SUPPLIES IT ALL?

Some Peculiar Results Are Coming From the Competition of the Newspapers.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 21.—Up to Tuesday last the expectation that Dr. Brown would be acquitted by his brother preachers was nearly as general as belief in his guilt. On Tuesday, however, the Council met, and since then opinion has changed. The course taken by this churchly court has awakened confidence in itself. It is sure that it has a desire to get at the truth, and that its view of the interests of the faith is not limited by the interests of Dr. Brown. That brother, whose nerve is more than human, is not running the Council. He set out to do it, but was brought up with a jerk that gave him the novel sensation of surprise. With perfect coolness, he had prepared to select the audience by issuing tickets, and it astonished him when that power was taken out of his meek hands. From that time on he has worn the air of the persecuted.

California's pulpit has so few preachers of note that the worldly, forming their judgment on the newspaper reports of Sunday sermons and Monday morning debates, take it for granted that the ministers are inferior as men. Because of this preconception, journalists, lawyers and other Gentiles who invaded the lecture room of the First Congregational Church on Tuesday expected to see on the broad platform a collection of weaklings with small foreheads and feeble chins. It is but the truth to say that the assembled Congregational preachers did honor to the cloth. They were really impressive as they sat there, a body of sedate, dignified and intelligent gentleman. It would not be easy to gather in San Francisco an equal number of any other profession who would make as good an impression, in point both of seeming mentality and character. I know that I had borne in upon me the belief that for the most part these men stood for good purposes. They compelled respect. And this respect grew when they spoke. Of course their calling makes them easy on their feet; nevertheless, when men can rise and argue and converse as unperturbedly before an audience as if they were in a private room, they convey to others not so qualified a sense of mental capacity. At the very least, the beholder and listener was convinced that Dr. Brown has to do with educated men.

The conditions were not the most favorable to dignity. In the first place, the matters with which the Council has to deal are scarcely of the kind that gentlemen care to discuss in public, and least of all, before women and the sisters, old and young—were present in force. In the second place, the floor immediately in front of the platform was semi-circled with a score of tables, at which reporters were seated—a modern challenge to the clergy and their high privilege of privacy in deliberation. It was like fighting before the kinetoscope.

The Council has had its reward for letting Dr. Brown understand his place and inviting the press and public to attend. The Court is treated with the utmost respect by the newspapers. Even the reporters, the most cynical of judges, believe that the accused will get a fair trial.

Smiles ripple over the faces at the newspaper tables frequently. They are evoked by the experiences of Dr. Brown with his judges. This is the same room he has been wont to marshal his partisans, bully his opponents and procure votes of confidence. Now he is off the platform, has no authority and finds himself forced to comprehend that he is on trial, and that it is expected of him that he shall be reasonably civil to men and women who are so daring as to disapprove of him. He has been sat upon often, and it goes against his arrogant stomach. From his manner of conducting his case, it is evident that nature intended the doctor for the bar rather than the pulpit. He has a hawk's eye for a technicality, and quibbles with an ardor that suggests the police court, which doubtless would have been his field of labor had he not been called to preach the gospel.

Dr. Brown makes a distinctly bad impression. He is callused to a degree of insensibility which renders it difficult to figure him as an innocent man. While he is being discussed, while charges are spoken against him in his presence as disgraceful to him as burglary would be to a layman, he takes notes, smiles, leans back and consults with his attorney, or whispers with animation to Mattie Overman. It is as a contest that he views this whole foul business. Dr. McLean, the moderator, Dr. Moar, and the more elderly and distinguished among the clergymen on the platform, are visibly under an effort when they reply to questions from him. They are accustomed to intercourse with gentlemen, and even, if innocent, Dr. Brown cannot pretend to that rank. Were he not what he is—were he not shifty, cunning, overshrewd and shameless, but a man of gravity and feeling, capable of suffering under the defilement of false accusations—Miss Mattie Overman would very nearly serve to acquit him.

That young woman is certainly not lovely to the carnal eye. She is past 30, and her sandy hair, pale blue eyes, flat face, high cheek bones and blinking vivacity of expression would insure her against the pursuit of the villain elsewhere than in the tents of Zion.

How Dr. Brown can escape conviction, if his judges are as intelligent and conscientious as they look, it is not easy to see. The Overman letters and everything else aside, the confession of Mrs. Stockton to Mrs. Sarah B. Cooper, before witnesses, should be conclusive, unless Mrs. Stockton can be induced to recant. Everywhere I discover the same desire for a conviction as in the case of Durrant, and this jury is seemingly of a much higher grade than the one which did justice to the Emmanuel Church monster.

The San Francisco business man is a discouraged being. Hard times continue, in spite of the late Half-Million Club, the new Valley Railroad and the praiseworthy efforts of the newspaper band to play cheerful airs. The shopkeepers complain that there is no money in circulation. One of them, in discussing the situation with me, attributed the scarcity of cash to the races. It seemed absurd to me that a handful of horses should be held responsible for draining the coin of a city of three hundred thousand inhabitants, but this storekeeper, a man who owns a large retail establishment, insisted that it is so, and made out his case as is here set down.

We have two tracks, the Bay District and Ingleside. There are twenty licensed bookmakers, each of whom pays $100 a day for his privilege, and employs five men at $10—$3000. There are 312 racing days in the year—$936,000. That is what the bookmakers must take in to pay expenses. They dress well, live high and are prosperous. It is estimated that each of the twenty pockets about $50 a day—$312,000 a year, a grand annual total of $1,248,000 for the bookmaker item. The tracks maintain 700 horses, at $10 a week for each. This amounts to $364,000 a year. There are six races daily, in which fifty horses run, which means $600 for jockeys' wages, or $156,000 a year. The purses foot up $2000 a day, or $624,000 a year. The gate receipts supply the purses. There is a starter at $50 a day, and three judges at $300 a month each—$23,600 a year. Thus we have a grand total of $2,415,600. This does not of course include the winnings of the sporting men who maintain stables, nor the gains of the horde of professional gamblers, large and small, who haunt the tracks; nor the restaurants nor bars, nor the carriage hire and car fare. It is putting it low to say that these two race tracks extract annually from this community $3,000,000. Some of it gets back into circulation, naturally, but most of it is taken away. And this immense sum, equalling a tax of $10 per capita on the population of the city, is contributed by whom? Not by those best able to afford it, the business men, the men of means, for business men and men of fortune do not patronize the races and the pools in any considerable number.

The betting crowds are made up of clerks and other young men on salary, barbers, barkeepers, butchers, bakers, lawyers, reporters, doctors, and in general the hard-up class willing to take desperate chances to make a raise. Money that should be spent on the home or go into the savings bank is blown in at the races. And there must be a lot of stealing done to pay this horse tax. The frequent arrests of young collectors and others who have the handling of money not their own, partly tells the story. The movement to close the down-town pool rooms is strenuous, but the tracks are under the secure protection of wealth, and there is not the smallest prospect that the noble industry of improving the breed of horses will be interfered with. It is the contention of my storekeeper that these daily races have the same effect upon the financial condition of the city that a circus has upon that of a country town, and the appalling figures he furnished me appear to bear him out.

Among the business men who have reason to deplore the state of the times are the newspaper proprietors. There is not a newspaper in the city which is making money, and most of them are losing it. The foundation reason for this is that the papers are too big for the field. Competition has forced them all to a scale of expenditure that would fit a city and State of twice the population and advertising patronage. The race which the Examiner, Chronicle and Call are running is going to hurt some pockets seriously. The Call is making headway in circulation, and of course, what it gains, the others must lose. It is believed that the Chronicle is suffering most, but the Examiner recently, by reason of its extraordinary efforts to make itself attractive, has given the Chronicle cause for thanksgiving. For instance, an abandoned woman of the lowest class was murdered not long ago. This seemed to the Examiner an ideal opportunity to gratify curiosity as to the lives of such outcasts, so reporters and artists furnished pages of matter that have offended decency and exasperated the reputable people of the city, who neither like such matter themselves nor care to have it laid before their children. It is the readiness of the Examiner to spend money for news, its real enterprise, that keeps it ahead of its more economical rivals. But from this free expenditure the paper would soon be distanced. Mr. De Young and Mr. Spreckels are both millionaires, but they can't find it in their hearts to match their purses against Mr. Hearst's, even though he is pouring out wealth on his New York Journal and facing them here only on the side.

The Call is profiting largely by the diminits or offenses of its contemporaries, and is willing to let it go at that. The newspaper tribe resent its growing prospects because Mr. Spreckels, though a millionaire, pays only half salaries. As a business man and politician he has acquired for journalists that discretion in which both classes hold them. Writing is writing to Mr. Spreckels, and if he can get for $50 matter equal in quantity to what Mr. Hearst pays $100 for, and Mr. De Young $75, Mr. Spreckels congratulates himself on his superior cleverness. Political and personal enmities fell against the Chronicle, want of regard for decorum against the Examiner. The Call is proper, if dull, and therefore finds favor. There is some talk of another morning paper—a four-page well-condensed affair, like the old-time New York Sun. That would be a relief from the swollen dailies, but the man who has money to invest and bankers to put it into a newspaper in San Francisco is not wise, unless he has the sense to know that to win he must make his paper better than any of the others. He can't do that without disbursing a fortune.

Sam Davis is down from Carson and is going about consulting authorities on spiritualistic mediums. He tells me that he has lost a ghost and is anxious to be informed of how he may find it again.

"If it wasn't for my boy, Roy," he says, "who's the nervi'st young man in Nevada, if I do say it, I should have been spared the expense of this trip. I've put it off ever since Christmas, but business is business and must be attended to sooner or later. You've heard of our family ghost, of course. For several generations it has been the custom of the Davises to assemble in the drawing room, when they've had one, on Christmas eve, and pass the sacred, yet merry hours in song and story. Invariably at midnight the family ghost has joined the party. He's my great-grandfather, you understand, and was one of Washington's officers. Last Christmas eve the old gentleman came as usual; turned up in the same revolutionary costume—cocked hat, pig tail, knee breeches, shoe buckles and the rest of it. We did the regular thing—rose up respectfully and stood in silence. All except Roy. While we were holding our breath, Roy walks out from behind me, goes up to the ghost and says in a voice that meant immediate personal violence: 'Say, you old chromo, dye thing this is a masquerader?' Then, before Roy could let out with his fist, the ghost whirled into nothingness, leaving a cloud of hair powder behind him. We're afraid our ancestor will cut us hereafter, which would be a loss in dignity to the family, and we're doing what we can to square ourselves. My father, as a clergyman, has exerted himself, of course, but we do not feel that the Epworth pull amounts to much. What I've come here to do is to establish direct communication and restore harmony. I've taken the hide off Roy and he's ready to apologize. Who's your medium?"

Mr. Davis is in excellent health and, considering everything, surprisingly good spirits. ARTHUR McEWEN.

Do you remember those fine Etchings Kenney & Well's had on exhibition? They are being sold at 33⅓ per cent discount. Retiring from business.—1110 Broadway.

Burglars entered the Poole residence on Tevis avenue in Fruitvale about noon yesterday and stole $13 in cash and a Smith & Wesson revolver.

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Castoria	25c	Scott's Swedish Hair Renewer	50c
Cuticura Resolvent	70c	Piso's Cure	20c
Garfield Tea	20c	Shiloh's Cure	40c, 80c
St. Thomas Hair Tonic	50c	Bromo Seltzer	10c, 50c, 40c, 80c
Cuticura Salve	40c	Pink Pills	35c
Dickinson's Extract Witch Hazel, pints	25c	Mellin's Foods	35c, 55c
Pure Norwegian Cod Liver Oil, pints	50c	Malted Milk	40c, 80c, $3.25
La Blache Face Powder	30c	Paine's Compound	60c
amelline	35c	Pinkham's Compound	75c
Lola Montez Cream	65c	Pond's Extract	35c
Bailey's Lanoline Cream	25c	Hunyadi Water	25c
Sozodont	50c	Fellow's Syrup	$1.00
Calder's Dentine	15c, 35c	Imperial Hair Dye	$1.25
Imperial Granum	60c	Ayers' Cherry Pectoral	75c
Joy's Hood's and Ayers' Sarsaparilla	65c	Hoff's Blood and Stomach Bitters	50c
		Jayne's Expectorant	75c
		Tarrant's and Hoff's Malt	25c

PATRIOTS ABROAD.

Washington's Birthday Is Very Gloriously Celebrated in England.

RECEPTIONS BY AMERICANS.

Court Mourning for Prince Henry Will Shortly Be Ended.

CREWS FOR THE BOAT RACE.

The Prince of Wales Has Not Taken Lord Dunraven to Task.

(Special London cable letter, copyrighted, 1896, by Associated Press.)

LONDON, Feb. 22.—While Washington's birthday is being celebrated in the United States the members of the American colony here are honoring the memory of the father of his country in an appropriate manner. Honest love for institutions is bubbling over in many ways and Old Glory is waving proudly over many a building here in defiance of fog, soot and anything else.

At the United States Embassy the American Ambassador Thomas F. Bayard, and Mrs. Bayard, held a reception during the earlier part of the day and in the evening at the Grafton galleries, under the auspices of the American Society, there will be a banquet at which four hundred Americans will place their feet under the mahogany, clink glasses, cheer for God's country and applaud all patriotic sentiments loudly and honestly. The guests will include the staffs of the United States Embassy and United States Consulate-General, as well as Americans from nearly every part of Great Britain and Ireland.

Queen Victoria returned to Windsor on Thursday from Osborne, Isle of Wight.

The Princess of Wales, in behalf of the Queen, will hold two drawing rooms at Buckingham Palace, one on March 11th and the other on April 21st. The Princess will hold two more drawing rooms in May. Although these functions will do something towards brightening up the season, there is no doubt that the court mourning for Prince Henry of Battenberg has cast a gloom over the world of society, from which complete recovery is impossible for some time to come.

The Marquis of Salisbury proceeded to Windsor yesterday in order to consult with Her Majesty on important State business. The Premier has not been to Osborne since December. This failure to visit Her Majesty in spite of the troublesome times just passed over is due to the fact that the Marquis of Salisbury is a horrible mad sailor and is afraid even to venture across the Solent unless positively compelled to do so.

YACHTING GOSSIP.

The racing yacht which the Hendersons are building from George T. Watson's designs for Emperor William, is modelled after the Prince of Wales' Britannia. The new craft is being built secretly under the same shed used for the construction of Valkyrie III and will be nearly if not quite as large as the Dunraven boat. The preliminary work upon Watson's latest is already well advanced and rumor has it that she will be completed in time to compete at the Cowes regatta.

It has been stated that the Prince of Wales in view of the death of Prince Henry of Battenberg, will not race the Britannia during the season of 1896, and it is reported that the German Emperor was so disgusted with the criticisms of the British press upon his message to President Kruger, congratulating the latter upon his having suppressed Dr. Jameson and his raiders, that he has expressed his determination not to visit England this year under any circumstances.

Westminster Gazette discussing the report that the Prince of Wales, as Commodore of the Royal Yacht Squadron, has, in some manner intervened either to induce Lord Dunraven to send an apology to the New York Yacht Club, or to prevail upon his lordship to make an amende honorable, says it has reason to believe that the Prince has not intervened in one way or the other in the Dunraven matter.

The Rt. Hon. Sir A. B. Forwood, M. P. for the southwest division of Lancashire leader of the Liverpool Conservatives known as "The Young Napoleon" and as "The Joseph Chamberlain of Liverpool," who was formerly Secretary of the Admiralty, is suing the Railway Times for libel in asserting that, while he was Naval Secretary, he passed the West Indies mail tender of the Atlas Steamship Company, whose New York agents are Messrs. Pym, for Wood & Kellogg, of which firm Sir A. B. Forwood is partner.

A letter from United States Ambassador Bayard expressing thanks for the receipt of a copy of the prologue of an entertainment given by the Brighton Colleges, insisting upon the continuance of Anglo-American friendship, has been published. Mr. Bayard says: "I hail with delight any evidence of generous confidence in the companionship of the great human family, to which God has given the English language. It is a wise thought to inculcate international sympathies in the schools of each country. It is the way the twig is bent that the tree inclines and I hope the British oak and the American hickory will always incline in friendship towards each other."

THE BIG BOAT RACE.

W. H. Sherwood, treasurer of the Oxford University Boat Club, informs the Associated Press that the crew for the coming boat race with Cambridge is now definitely made up, subject to changes, of course, due to accidents, to illness. The crew comprises J. J. Dekknop, bow, 156 pounds; C. K. Philips, No. 2, 173 pounds; E. C. Sherwood, No. 3, 180 pounds; C. D. Burnell, No. 4, 188 pounds; E. R. Balfour, No. 5, 188 pounds; R. Carr, No. 6, 176 pounds; H. Graham, No. 7, 188 pounds; H. Gold, 8 stroke, 150 pounds; H. Pechell, coxswain, 115 pounds. The crew is generally looked upon as very promising and likely to prove very fast, even before the time of the race.

The Cambridge crew has also been decided upon. It consists of T. B. Hope, bow, 179 pounds, H. A. Game, No. 2, 176 pounds; D. Pennington, No. 3, 175 pounds; R. V. Bonsey, No. 4, 178 pounds; Wil A. Bieber, No. 5, 180 pounds; T. G. J. Duncanson, No. 6, 193 pounds; A. S. Bell, No. 7, 163 pounds; W. J. Peraie, 8 stroke, 170 pounds; T. S. Paget-Tomlinson, coxswain, 114 pounds. The crew is somewhat heavier than that of last year and already gives promise of developing a much greater degree of speed.

GENERAL GOSSIP.

Lady Henry Somerset will preside at a meeting in St. Martin's Town Hall, Charing Cross, on Monday evening February 24th. The meeting will consider and explain the objects of the National Council of Women of Great Britain and Ireland. Among those who will take part in the functions are Miss Eva McLaren, Prof. Roberts Austin, C. R., Mrs. Alex. Tweedie and Mrs. Hicks.

Frangcon Davies, the bass singer, will shortly leave London for a tour in America.

George Fox's opera "Nydia," which was first brought out at the Crystal Palace and subsequently produced in Drury Lane, by Sir Augustus Harris, will be given in the form of a "Costume Recital" at the Royal Victoria Hall on the evening of March 5th.

Much interest is manifested in the forthcoming volume of the late Lord Leighton's academy address. Long before his death the President of the Royal Academy had this book in contemplation, but at the time of his death he had not arranged all details to his entire satisfaction.

Hall Caine's sister, Miss Lily Caine, is to be married in March to George Day, the popular young dramatist.

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Washington's Birthday Brings a Huge Host to the Town.

Oakland stayed at home to celebrate Washington's Birthday. It is needless therefore, to say that the celebration was a pronounced success. The public procession which has been in course of preparation for several weeks past was never exceeded in size by any that took place in this city, save, possibly, that of the Fourth of July of last year.

Many of the merchants and manufacturers closed the doors of their places of business, and the front of nearly every store in the heart of the town testified to local patriotism by beautiful and artistic decorations.

The streets early filled wit hpeople anxious to obtain a view of the anticipated spectacle. They lined Broadway and the cross streets along which it was announced the line of march extended. They filled every available door, window, roof and place of vantage along the route.

The procession was announced to move at 10 o'clock, but was delayed some time beyond that hour. When at length it got under way it was with a great alarm of trumpets and the cheers of hundreds. In the advance rode Chief of Police Lloyd, Captain Wilson and Sergeant Hodgkins, and then a platoon of 20 men officered by Capt. Wilson.

Grand Marshal Henry Dalton came next. He was on a fine white horse. He wore a broad sash of gold colored silk extending over the right shoulder and fastened on the left side by golden stars.

Then came Chief of Staff Samuel P. Bodwell, with a Red White and Blue sash, color bearer, Bugler, Aids to the Grand Marshal, F. E. Pierce, E. A. Sherman, Jr., D. W. Martin, C. L. Pierce, J. W. Laymance, G. I. Taggart, Theo. Cler, W. Mathews, O. L. Bell, W. M. Gardner, H. L. Weitzel, G. H. Yose, Jr., A. Humphreys, A. B. Tennant, J. E. Holmes, N. W. Leitch, J. G. Chambers, Wm. Higby, Dr. R. W. Rogers, E. D. Lane, W. N. Pierce, W. B. Hodges, G. W. Brower, C. W. Pettie. These wore blue sashes, white trousers and top boots.

The next was a float of the American flag formed of young ladies dressed in appropriate colors to represent the national standard.

THE FIRST DIVISION.

The first division next advanced with Captain Charles K. King as marshal. His aids were C. M. Ingerson and S. K. King. These were followed by the Fifth Regiment Band, with their white and blue uniforms discoursing martial music. After them came the excellent drum corps of the regiment, twelve strong, and drumming like one man.

Then came the battalion of the Fifth Infantry, under the command of Major J. F. Hayes on an excellent mount. The several companies were officered as follows: Company A, Capt. T. C. Poulter, Second Lieut. Vaughn; Company F, Capt. G. H. Wethern, First Lieut. W. H. Cobbledick, Second Lieut. S. E. Wenk; Company G, Capt. W. F. Chipman, First Lieut. W. W. Simpson.

The next feature was a large float representing Washington and the cherry tree. There was also a tent with a field piece and several soldiers representing continental and federal armies.

The next feature in the parade was the Grand Army. The post represented by Lyon and Appomattox, George A. Norton was in command of the first mentioned, and with that post was a feature that thrilled many an onlooker. It was the battle flag of the California regiment which did service in the war of the rebellion. It was borne by Gen. Thompson, late commandant at Yountville, a man who, enlisting as a private, rose to the position of brigadier in defending the same flag. The general is still erect and martial in his bearing, and made an imposing feature as he walked with that banner, its tattered remnants telling of the rebel bullets that had sped through it and the dead that fell beneath it.

The veterans marched well, despite their infirmities, and there was no doubt they appreciated the distinction which was accorded them of having risked their lives for home and country.

Appomattox post was commanded by J. F. Pierce, and shared the honor of Lyon post, and the stalwart standard bearer.

This post was followed by Admiral Porter post, which is the only post of the order in the city.

Then came carriages containing John A. Sands, President of the day, Major E. A. Sherman, Dr. George C. Pardee, Mayor Davie, George L. Fish, George Kaufman, J. M. Bassett, Dr. T. L. Carpenter, President of the Celebration Committee, City Attorney Pierson, City Engineer Wilson, City Clerk Tompkins, members of the Council, Board of Education and Board of Supervisors.

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THE SECOND DIVISION.

The second division was marshaled by E. C. Lyon. His aides were C. C. Gilbert, A. E. Isaac and A. L. Todd.

The Veteran Firemen of San Francisco were next in order. It was their first appearance in this city. They conquered everybody as they advanced. They were headed by their own band of eighteen pieces, which played with a precision suggesting the methods of Sousa, the march king. There were ninety-four men in line. They were all stalwarts. It really seemed as if the fire fighters of others days must have found vigor in the work, because every one of those in the procession seemed hardy to fight time for as many years more as they fought the flames. Each man wore his heavy black fire helmet, traditional red shirt with black cravat, black patent-leather belt, black trousers, and a fatigue cap on the hip. Each also held the rope attached to the hand engine of the company.

They were accompanied by their officers as follows: President, Jos. S. Marshall; first vice-president, S. Bunner; second vice-president, Geo. Carlisle; third vice-president, W. H. Miller; financial secretary, Gus Pohlmann; recording secretary, W. A. Scully; treasurer, W. Frunkrugh; sergeant-at-arms, John H. Burns; Board of Directors, W. Rantringer, John Foley, Frank Terramorse, Thomas Connell, Alla Harris; trustees, Fred Will, Richard Harrold, and Cal Burns. The marshal was Joseph Marshall, who while a member of the Exempt and Veteran firemen, is also President of the Veterans and a member of the Fire Commissioners' Board in San Francisco. His aide was the stalwart S. Bunner. Both of these gentlemen carried a traditional silver trumpet; the bell of which was filled with a beautiful bouquet presented by Mrs. Lily Hitchcock Cort, who in the days when the boys ran with the machine, ran also, as a member of Company No. 5 over in San Francisco. Mrs. Coit is now a full fledged active member of the Veterans. It is needless to say the bouquets were appreciated by the recipients. Behind the company rolled the hand engine "Veteran." It is a stately mass of varnished and highly polished iron and glistening brass, appropriately inscribed. It was sparsely decorated with flowers, because flowers would only hide the brakes, the dome, the sides and other features which are reminders of a method of fire-fighting known no more in large cities.

Among the men in line were noted W. D. Farren, James Pennycook, B. Mayer, James Ford, D. DeBainardi, Fred A. Will, George Lawton, Frank Terramorse, John Satchwell, Thos. Brady, John Watkins, John Carson, Richard Harrold, James Clark, C. G. Schaffer, C. H. McMahon, Thos. Kenny, P. Conners, John Fick, C. Wilton, John DeVaul, Thos. Cornell, Hugh Calvin, James Hayden, P. Fitzsimmons, Francis Goss, James McKeowen, Capt. Pharo, Ike Surhyne, Fred Kaufman, Wm. Kramer, Wm. Edwards, John Stout, Douglas White, George White, Jno. McCarthy, John Lynch, Capt. J. J. Herron, George Burkhard, Robt. Turner, E. T. Anthony, George Pigeon, John Nugent, James Clark, J. W. Scott, M. Barman, Dave Skehan, Jack Skehan, Wm. Dunn, C. Berholshime, Geo. Bayrather, Peter Brown, J. W. Kenny, Thomas Lord, Chas. Cram, P. Lahaney, L. Sellinger, Ed. Saulsbury, John Carrol, J. B. Landa, Wm. Gaurenes, F. Boehmer, H. Kohn, Joe Griffiths, J. Watkins, M. Breen, R. Butler, and many others.

THE THIRD DIVISION.

The third division followed, with C. H. Ingerson, marshal, C. C. Dryden, H. A. Waterbury and C. E. Randolph aides.

Then came a float representing the surrender of Cornwallis at Yorktown. This was well carried out, all the costumes and action being historically correct.

The artillery band then followed, their red plumes and white helmets accentuating their military uniform.

Following was a float representing the thirteen original States, each represented by a young woman dressed in white, the genius of Columbia being represented by a fair-haired young creature. All the young women were really beautiful.

Uncle Sam personated by C. W. Corner, followed. Then came about four hundred patriotic citizens, and a number of councils of the Junior Order of United American Mechanics from San Francisco, and the following councils of this city: George A. Custer Council No. 22, James Monroe Council No. 24, Paul Revere Council No. 25, John A. Logan Council No. 31, Henry Clay Council No. 34. They wore white caps, some of the chapeaus being decorated with red, white and blue ribbon. Several of the councils bore red and white pampas plumes, which they held aloft.

A cavalcade of ladies, under the marshalship of Miss Abbie R. Taggart, followed.

Then came an immense float containing 15 young women representing the Union. Each was attired in the national colors.

Now came a deputation of the spirit of 1776, followed by a float representing the Red, White and Blue.

Alameda was represented by Council No. 35 W. A. P. A. This comprised about a dozen ladies in a carryall. Each had her hair powdered by way of recalling the colonial dames of America.

THE FOURTH DIVISION.

The fourth division was commanded by E. A. Von Schmidt, whose aides were W. H. C. Behrens and Charles Ruprecht.

This was headed by a drum corps of D. Company of Second Regiment B. B. C. L. with N. Cobbledick in command. It header a float, one interesting feature of which was a school house.

Next came a float representing the rigors of the winter in Valley Forge and the suffering endured by the patriots.

Then followed the schools of the city, and this was one of the imposing features of the procession. Each school seemed to vie with the others in making a fine appearance. Each also was headed by a drum corps in most instances composed of smaller boys. Where the little ones mastered the art of drumming is unknown, but it is a fact that they have acquired wonderful dexterity with the sticks and a faculty of keeping much time.

Each school was headed with a banner of hardy proportions of a flag appropriately inscribed. Every boy had a flag on his cap, hat, or hand or else had a distinguishing badge on his breast to indicate his school.

It would be difficult to say which school presented the most imposing or the more military appearance. The marching of each was done with ease and grace and evoked a great deal of commendation all along the line.

The schools and their principals in line were as follows:

High School, J. B. McChesney; Durant School, S. G. S. Dunbar; Garfield School, Mrs. Ellen Gibbs; Grove Street School, Mrs. H. D. Standeford; Lincoln School, T. O. Crawford, Swett School, J. H. Sommer; float, "Flags Coming into the Union;" Cole School, G. W. Frick; Franklin School, J. F. Chandler; Grant School, Miss Elizabeth Powell, Harrison School, Miss H. M. Muller; La Fayette School, Miss A. E. Aldrich; Prescott School, C. F. Gulick; Tompkins School, C. E. Markham; Piedmont, Peralta, Golden Gate, Emeryville, Alameda, Berkeley, Temescal Public Schools.

THE FIFTH DIVISION.

The fifth division followed with George Laxley, marshal, and F. W. Craig and Louis Kreiss, aides.

The first feature of this division was a cavalcade of about 200 horsemen under the leadership of P. J. Keller of Piedmont. This was one of the largest and most military looking bands of mounted men that ever appeared in line in this city. Each man wore a sash of patriotic colors and Chief Keller was decorated with regalia of white colored velvet and gold.

The fire department followed. At the head rode Chief Fair in his buggy. Then came the men attached to Phenix engine in the traditional fireman's uniform. Next came the engine glistening like polished silver and reflecting on all sides beautiful decorations of flowers and national colors. The horses were in magnificent fettle and seemed to feel that they too had to show off on the occasion. Following was the hose wagon, which was also gaily decorated, while the horses pranced along the roadway. Then came the Thirteenth street chemical engine decorated with flowers and hose No. 1, with the men carrying immense Japanese parasols. The hose cart was covered with flowers. The hook and ladder truck was preceded by its men and was itself loaded with garlands of smilax and flowers.

Company No. 5, followed and all the apparatus was decorated in a beautiful manner.

A varied assortment of private vehicles brought the procession to a close.

The procession moved along the following streets: Along Broadway to Fifth street, to Washington, to Fourteenth to San Pablo avenue, to Sixteenth street, to Telegraph avenue, to Fourteenth street, along Broadway to Second street, countermarching to Eighth street where it was reviewed by the grand marshal. The divisions lined on the east and west sides of Broadway. The school children marched in review of both lines.

After singing "America" en masse the parade was dismissed.

AT THE CHURCH.

Patriotic literary exercises will be held at 8 P. M. in the First Congregational Church, corner of Twelfth and Clay streets.

AT THE TABERNACLE.

The Y. M. I. Will Give a Fine Celebration Tonight.

Final arrangements for the celebration of Washington's Birthday by Councils No. 6, 8 and 31, Y. M. I., which takes place at the Tabernacle tonight are now completed.

Rev. Arthur W. Clark, C. S. P. will be the orator of the evening, his subject being "The Opinions of Great American non-Catholic Citizens on the Catholic Church."

Father Clark is a member of the Order of Sons of Revolutionary Sires. His great-grandfather took part in the Revolutionary War and was on intimate terms with Washington, Lafayette and other heroes of that great struggle.

The musical part of the programme will be in keeping with the day. Miss Lottie Crawford of St. Joseph's choir, San Francisco, will sing "Columbia, the Gem of the Ocean," while W. Claire Wilson will give "The Star Spangled Banner." There will be a duet and a quartette from St. Mary's College and several other numbers.

The committee of arrangements wish to correct the impression that there is to be an admission fee or that invitations will be required. The meeting is free and all are welcome. Several of the Y. M. I. Councils of San Francisco will be present.

POPULAR VISITORS.

Veteran Firemen Entertained by the Local Body.

At the close of the procession a committee of the Exempt Firemen of this city waited upon the Exempt Firemen from San Francisco and escorted them to the hall, 418 Eighth street, immediately opposite The Tribune office.

There there was provided an excellent lunch such as the veterans could and did appreciate after their long march.

After the solid and substantial refreshments had been disposed of Brother Pohlman of San Francisco sang "When We Ran with the Old Machine" and the whole crowd joined in the chorus. Cigars were passed around and then the men wandered to the street while the band of the veterans serenaded The Tribune.

The visitors then became the guests of Leslie Blackburn, who invited them to partake of his hospitality at Joe Boquet's place in the Galindo hotel, an invitation which was cheerfully accepted, because Leslie is a member of the Veterans and has been with them from their inception.

The veterans then took a short march through town and returned to the Tribune office, where their band gave an excellent concert. They left for home at 2 o'clock.

Among the Oakland people who were active in entertaining the guests were Billy Moore and ex-Chief Lawton.

ST. MARY'S COLLEGE.

The Class of '97 Presents an Entertainment of High Order.

There was a grand celebration in honor of Washington's birthday at St. Mary's college last night.

It was held in the large exhibition hall of the institution which was beautifully decorated with national symbols and flowers.

There was a large attendance of friends of the institution and the class of ninety-seven, under whose auspices the entertainment was given. The front page of the programme was occupied by a finely executed vignette of George Washington.

The members of the class of '97 comprises Rev. Brother Benedict, Robert G. Brady, William A. Hughes, Joseph J. Hooson, J. William Solen, John J. Greeley, Bernard I. Flood, Thomas H. Richardson and William F. Murphy.

The exercises opened with the overture, "Columbia March," by Schrammel, which was finely executed by the college orchestra. Introductory remarks, in an eloquent manner, were made by Thomas H. Richardson, the president of the day.

All of the features of the programme, whether of a literary or musical character, were excellently rendered and many of them were of a decided patriotic character appropriate to the occasion.

The other features of the programme were as follows:

Vocal Duet, "The Two Sailors"..Parry
J. W. Solen, R. G. Brady.
Recitation, "The Midnight Mass" ..... White
William A. Hughes.
Vocal Solo, "Memories of Childhood" ..... Graham
J. William Solen.
Selection, "America"..... Phillips
John J. Greeley.
Vocal Quartette, "The Sword of Bunker Hill" ..... Wallace
J. W. Solen, G. E. Hayward, R. G. Brady, H. J. Swords.
Interlude, "American Airs"....Wiegand
Orchestra.
Extract, "The American Flag".Beecher
Joseph J. Hooson.
Vocal Duet, "A, B, C".....Parry
J. L. Jaunet, J. L. Taaffe.
Oration, "The Character of Washington".....J. William Solen
Instrumental Solo, "Rondo Capriccioso" ..... Mendelssohn
F. Schorcht, Jr.
Recitation, "Death of Benedict Arnold" ..... Lippard
Robert G. Brady.
Vocal Trio, "O, Restless Sea"....White
J. L. Jaunet, J. W. Solen, H. J. Swords.
Recitation, "The Dandy Fifth".... ..... Gassaway
Bernard J. Flood.
Finale, "Souvenir Quipstep"..... ....College Orchestra.

WOMAN'S WORK.

Local Talent Well Applied in a Special "Enquirer."

The Washington's Birthday edition of the Enquirer issued today shows that Oakland women do not have to take a back seat when it comes down to getting out a newspaper. They had full charge of the issue and they filled its columns with interesting and well-prepared matter. Mrs. Alice M. Stocker, the editor-in-chief, directed the destinies of the day in a most able manner and her assistants developed both talent and enterprise. Among the many contributors were Mrs. Donald McLean, Mrs. Wm. Keith, Emily C. Remsen, Katherine A. C. Patterson, Mary E. Holmes, S. C. Sanford, Sarah C. Borland, K. P. S. Boyd, Emorita E. Echlin, Mary Fairweather, Eunice A. Preston, Sarah M. Severance, Grace M. Kimball, Lucy Ellis, Mrs. R. F. Coyle, Emma Shafter Howard, and Mary Lambert.

The Regatta.

The Pioneer Boat Club of San Francisco beat the Columbias in the first race this afternoon.

The South End beat the Universities.

Mrs. Wilmore in Jail.

Young Abe Majors has "peached" on Mrs. Wilmore, the mother of his youthful partner in the safe cracking business, and as a result this woman, who has posed as a pillar in the church, and quoted biblical phrases galore to the reporters, is now locked up in the city prison with a charge of burglary against her.

A RATTLING ROAD RACE.

Henry Noonan Comes in First and F. C. Hansen Second.

C. S. Wells of the Bay City Wheelmen Captures the Time Prize.

The twenty-five mile bicycle race of the Associated Cycling Clubs, took place over the San Leandro triangle this morning. A large crowd of spectators lined the road on either side of the start and finish. They were kept off of the course by ropes.

At 10 o'clock Starter DeWitt Van Court of the Acme Club sent the first man out. From that time until the finish it was anybody's race though the scratch men were too heavily handicapped to stand a show at any time for first place. At the end of the first lap G. W. Thomas of the C. C. C. led, followed by F. G. Thomas, A. C., F. C. Hansen, C. C. C., and C. Myrick, R. C. W., in the order named.

At the end of the second lap A. O. Ortlon, I. C. C., was in the lead, T. C. Hansen, F. G. Thomas and Henry Noonan being in the same bunch. The scratch men staid together near the end of the procession.

The first half dozen finished in a group, Henry Noonan, S. R. W., led by a few inches, F. C. Hansen being second.

The other finished in the following order: F. S. Thomas, Acme; A. O. Ortlon, O. C. C.; J. E. Scott, Acme; G. W. Thomas, C. C. C.; E. J. Smith, Acme; F. L. Tidel, S. F. R. C.; J. R. Kenna, Acme; G. H. Crafts, Acme; R. C. Raymond, R. C. W.

Half a dozen followed and then the scratch men were announced by a short. Wells, B. C. W., finished first, with Edwards, O. C. W., close at his heels. A lesso would have caught the group. The time was caught at 1:15 2-5. Smith of Acme made a good run.

Several minor, though not serious accidents, befell both wheels and wheelmen. C. W. Conger fell in the first lap and drew out. At the finish Nisson of the Acme was coming in at a rapid pace when his wheel struck the one in front of him. He fell heavily, cutting his arms and shoulder painfully. No bones were broken, however.

HIRSHBERG SUCCEEDS IRISH.

Governor Budd has removed John P. Irish as a director of the Blind Home, and has appointed D. S. Hirshberg, of this city, in his stead.

Broke His Knee.

Moses Asher, of Fifth street and Broadway, fell and fractured his left knee cap this morning. He was treated at the receiving hospital.

Union Street Presbyterian church, Rev. Dr. Brick preaches at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M.

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Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend the funeral Sunday at 2 o'clock P. M. from the residence of the parents, corner of Piedmont Valley Road and Linda avenue, Piedmont.

Interment St. Mary's cemetery.

PUMYTA—In this city, February 21, 1896, Peter, beloved husband of Lovata Pumyea, a native of Illinois, aged 21 years, 2 months, 1 day.

Marysville papers please copy.

Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral Sunday, February 23, 1896, at 2:30 P. M. from his late residence, 966 Alice street, under the auspices of Oakland Lodge No. 178 I. O. O. F., Live Oak Lodge No. 17, K. of P., and Gray Eagle Tribe No. 67, I. O. R. M. Interment Mountain View Cemetery.

DANN—In this city, February 20, 1896, Anna M., wife of Nels P. Dann, and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hector Morrison, a native of San Francisco, aged 20 years.

The funeral will take place Monday, February 24, 1896, at 10 o'clock A. M., from the residence of her parents, 3271 Seward street, Oakland.

NOTICE!

Grey Eagle Tribe No. 67, I. O. Red Men, will meet at their hall Sunday, 1 P. M. sharp, to attend the funeral of Brother P. Pumyea.

By order of the Sachem.

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Next Saturday "The Father of His Country" will have a birthday. It will be celebrated in Oakland by the ladies particularly, while all will lend a hand to make the day one of honor to the memory of him who is "first in the hearts of his countrymen."

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PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.

Miss Sophie Jones of Sacramento is the guest of her cousins the Misses Denison.

Hiller Allen is at the Sandwich Islands, with his sister, Mrs. Witcher.

W. A. Jacobs and Fred Jacobs are in Tulare.

Mrs. Ottis M. Tupper and her daughter Helen, of San Jose, are the guests of Mrs. Tupper's mother, Mrs. W. S. Snook.

James Brusie has been visiting in Modesto.

Mrs. Yarndley is visiting friends in Orange.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Pearson have been visiting friends in Napa.

Miss Grace Carroll has returned from a visit to Sacramento.

H. A. Tubbs was among the anglers at Santa Cruz last week.

P. C. Bates went up to Petaluma several days ago to spend a week.

Miss Mabel Gray has been visiting Mrs. E. W. Churchill of Napa.

J. R. Merritt went up to Modesto this week to install the officers of a lodge.

Miss Ella Mae Wilson of this city gives and elocutionary entertainment in Wheatland today.

M. J. Keller will leave today for New York and other Eastern cities. He will be gone about a month.

Professor E. F. Barr, well known here, has been engaged as instructor of the Grass Valley Athletic Club.

Mrs. Alfred Kelley of Petaluma is the guest of her niece, Mrs. E. A. Miller of Seventh avenue, East Oakland.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Bruun of Portland, Oregon, are down on a visit to Mrs. Bruun's mother, Mrs. Jones, at Berkeley.

Thomas A. Potts of this city has bought a country place near Santa Rosa, formerly owned by ex-Supervisor Weatherington.

Miss Rita Canning of San Francisco is visiting Mrs. Smith of this city for two weeks.

A party consisting Ed O'Neill, Edward A. Howard, James Sutton, Charles Cushing and James K. Moffitt left this morning for a two days' jaunt in Contra Costa county.

Miss Kittie Lewis of Sacramento is visiting friends in town.

At the leap year cotillion of Mrs. J. M. Cunningham across the bay on Monday evening, the hostess was assisted in leading the German by Miss Houghton, formerly of this city.

Dan Belden gave a pretty Valentine dinner party Monday at the Belden home on Lake street.

John Henry Masterson of Alameda gave a theater party at the Oakland last evening to several of his lady friends.

The Kappa Alpha Theta Society of Berkeley entertained the faculty at a tea last Saturday.

Mrs. Greenhood gave an engagement reception to Miss Melita Frank and Alvis Baum at her home on Fourteenth street last Sunday. After the reception, which lasted from 4 to 6, a banquet was served. Miss Frank will be at home next Wednesday.

Miss Carrie Drum entertained a small party of friends last Monday at her home on Market street.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Marshall entertained the Pacific Coast Woman's Press Club, Thursday, at their home on Knox avenue. The engagement is announced of Miss Amelia Schultz, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Schultz and John P. Maxwell of the firm of C. L. Maxwell & Son.

William L. Mitchner and Miss Florence M. St. John, both of this city, were married at the home of the bride's parents in Healdsburg Wednesday.

The Oakland Society Dancing Club gave a ball in College Hall Wednesday. Frank Gunn acted as floor manager. On the 27th the club will move to Military Hall.

What $1 will do, see Laymance's advertisement in this paper.

A few of those 22x27 Portrait Frames still left, at $1.25, $1.50 and $1.75. Won't last much longer, though. Chas. B Wells, 1110 Broadway.

A New Trial Wanted.

Notice of a motion for a new trial in the Wettstein case has been filed in the Superior Court by Attorneys Moore and Martin for the Southern Pacific Company. They allege the verdict was excessive, not warranted by the evidence and given under the influence of passion and prejudice.

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SOCIETY NEWS

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HOW THE SEASON ENDED.

Receptions, Dances and Quite a Number of House Parties.

GOSSIP OF THE SWELL SET.

"The Meddler" Reviews the Incidents of the Week.

As usual our brief little whirl of gaiety was succeeded by a dead calm. Did you ever know it to fail? It seems to me I never did. We are always in a state of unnatural inflation or complete collapse—just like a balloon—on the point of explosion, or wrinkled and pulpy, exhaling our life breath in puffy little gasps. This has been the flabby week—the week of the lean ears. Lent has begun in quiet, gray calm magnificence, and we are all disconsolate in consequence. But some of us will take a deal of beauty sleep during these forty days and forty nights, and in consequence some cheeks that have began to pale will blossom again like the rose. Not that Myra's ever got pale. Oh, no. But some of the rest of us were not born so fortunately.

There has been little going on. Belle Mhoon was at pretty blonde Helen Boss' dainty jonquil and violet luncheon at the University Club on Monday. She was the only Oaklander so favored. And we girls all love to lunch at the Varsity.

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An announcement in which we were all interested, although the parties were San Francisco people, was the engagement of Miss Mabel Love, who is pretty and charming and talented, musically, to Lieutenant Churchill, U. S. N. She was going on the stage, you know, but now will be a sailor's bride. You must remember her well in that charming pantomime performance of the Mistletoe Bow at the California Theatre not long ago, wherein Harry Melvin took part. The date of the marriage is not yet announced.

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Our girls were in a furore musically—quite without the tenor of their usual way. They have been attending the Symphony concerts with the ardor of devotees, and Monday night a great many Oaklanders, in which the McNear set was prominent, crossed the bay to attend the Saturday morning orchestra concert.

Most of the Oakland girls who used to play in the orchestra have withdrawn, most of them, it is true, in the event of marriage, but we have not forgotten that the charming aggregation of beauty and melody was born in the Tucker home, when the place was bright with a quintet of girls, and before the bees went a-swarming, each to occupy a hive of their own. And so we Oaklanders are always very much interested. The girls did charming ensemble work, and played with considerable dash and spirit, in looks they were immensely decorative.

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Then Paderewski is still a joy forever. The Oakland people have fallen off in attendance, except the musical enthusiasts. Mrs. Blanche Ashleigh has attended every recital. On Wednesday Mrs. Beatrice Priest Fine was there, and the Hush girls, with Mrs. Tom and Mrs. Will Magee had a box. They looked charming, of course, especially Mrs. Will, in a very becoming cape of blue and green mirror velvet.

Of course, the recital to-night will be a magnificent success, financially, artistically and socially. Many have been the dollars saved for it, and the fact that it is a holiday will enlarge the crowd. The men are so intensely restless—pacing like lions in search of amusement—on holidays. To tell the truth, Paderewski does not amuse all men (except the musical ones, of course) as he charms and enchants all women. There is in his fibre that delicacy and refinement that appeals most to women, and his playing—passionate, emotional, tender, appealing—strikes to their responsive souls.

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Mrs. Anna Cox Stephens will deliver a parlor lecture at the home of Mrs. Frank J. Moffitt, Friday, Feb. 28th, at 3:30 p. m. The subject of the lecture will be the Epic Poem "of Finland," "Kalevala." Mrs. Stephens is the only person who has ever translated this poem. She is a great authority on Norse mythology. Her husband was Gen. Stephens, who fought with the late Gen. Custer. Admission to the lecture will be 50 cents.

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It has been rather gay in Berkeley these later days. The Lenten solemnity there will be dense, I do not doubt. They are ardent churchwomen, the Berkeleyites, and the men? Oh, they are men.

Professor and Mrs. Charles Mills Gayley gave a Valentine party on the Friday evening we so joyfully and cheerfully devote to the patron of lovers—when boys prowl with jack o'lanterns parodying the sweet old theme, and when maids hug tender sentiments to their hearts. There were forty-five of the elect of Berkeley society at this Valentine celebration. They were mostly married—almost everybody in Berkeley is married—but they chose valentines all the same, and all was as loving as nesting birds. Everybody received a valentine as he or she entered. Then they exchanged, each lady reading aloud the tender sentiments in her cavalier's card, and he performing the same pleasing service for her. It was very jolly. The decorations were hearts and cupids and bows, as were the ices. The novelty of the idea was very taking. The Gayleys live in a house as like Shakespeare's in Stratford-on-Avon as possible. It is in North Berkeley in a scholastic environment, and the very eaves drip poetically. The Gayleys are very charming people and go out a great deal. Among their guests were the Kelloggs, the Bacons, the Suttons, the Boones, the Spears, and all the other best-known Berkeley families.

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On Monday Miss Spear gave a very large tea in honor of Mrs. Perrien. There were a great many there and the tea was pleasant.

On Tuesday Miss Hea[illegible] gave a sort of Mardi Gras tea. Th[illegible]ere were 150 guests, and all sorts [illegible] maids, from old ones to gush ones, w[illegible]o passed the infinitisimal slices of cake, and brewed the mild beverage women are supposed to dote on.

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Mrs. Wheaton had her second at home on Tuesday, and again 200 guests responded and wished her a pleasant good day. Mrs. Adams and Miss Sterrett again assisted the blooming hostess and lightened her duties.

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One of the most charming events of the week was the luncheon given to Mrs. Requa by Mrs. H. M. A. Miller, who is a sort of cousin to her. There were fourteen guests, all of them Mrs. Requa's close friends. She has been much entertained since her marriage and will shortly begin to repay their favors. What form the entertainment will take is not yet decided. It may take the form of a series of luncheons or dinners or even a ball. I do not know. At Mrs. Miller's were Miss Edith Lilienenranz, Miss Lulita Booth, Miss Miller, Miss Tucker, Miss Ethel Moore, Miss Mhoon, Miss Herrick and others.

There was a very pretty wedding at 272 Eighteenth street this week when Miss Blackburn was married to Mr. Stetson of Portland. They have gone to Oregon, their future home.

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On Wednesday Mrs. Grayson gave a second luncheon and rivalled the success of the violet function held two weeks ago. There were fourteen guests and a dainty and varied menu—somewhat more elaborate than the usual luncheon spread. I believe elderly ladies are better gourmands than young ones—they appreciate the niceties of cookery more than the delicacies of service.

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Mrs. Henshaw's dinner was a charm affair.

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Last Sunday evening there was a charming engagement party to celebrate the contract between Miss Millie Frank and Mr. Baum at the home of Miss Frank's sister, Mrs. Sol Greenwood. The engaged couple were assisted in receiving b ythe Misses Greenhood. The engaged couple were as as always these big Hebrew affairs. There were a great many San Franciscans present.

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On Monday evening Miss Minnie O'Neil gave a dancing party at her home in San Francisco. There were more Oakland people there than San Franciscans. Miss O'Neil was assisted in receiving by Miss Mamie Pope and Miss Blix Smith of East Oakland. Among the guests were numbered Mrs. John Albright, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Albright, J. J. Baumgartner, Miss Dora Goodsell, Miss Goodsell, Miss Edith Middleton, Miss Mabel Craft and Miss Dorety.

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On Thursday evening Miss Emma Sickels Marshall entertained the members of the Pacific Coast Women's Press Association at an informal reception at her new home near Telegraph Avenue. There were 115 guests, and a very interesting musical programme was presented early in the evening. Miss Susie Hobart, recited. Among the guests were Col. and Mrs. Dickinson, Mrs. Ada C. Van Pelt and many others.

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There was but a sprinkling of Oaklanders among the Mardi Gras revellers at the Hopkins mansion last Tuesday night. They were not nearly as many as I expected. Can it be, I wonder, that we do not care for gaiety in its cardinal form or is it—perish the thought—that we cannot raise the necessary $10 apiece? Kate Clement, the Houghtons, whom we no longer own, and the Tom Magees were almost our only representatives among that vast throng. It was a beautiful pageant. No description of it is left for me. But I can tell you, the sight of it well repaid the time and money. Some of the costumes were brilliant, effective and novel. The girls were masked and consequently brave. One rover had the jolliest time. She came alone, danced with whomsoever she chose, for she was light of foot and heart. Men lavished champagne upon her and lo, at the strike of the hour when the masks fell, she vanished, uttering an assumed name tauntingly over her shoulder—vanished like Cinderella, and no man knows whence. Mrs. Joe Tobin was the most exquisitely gowned of the women. She was La Tosca in pink, with a pink and white picture hat, nodding with plumes like dahlias in a garden, and a great bunch of St. Joseph's lilies fastened to the end of her directoire stick. She looked a picture.

There were several Oaklanders at Mrs. Clark Crocker's living pictures Thursday.

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Tonight the 6.30 club (men only, of course) hold their fifth anniversary dinner. That means sixty good dinners. The club used to patronise the Maison Doree. Now they are favoring the Poodle Dog.

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On Friday evening last the Friday Night club gave a Valentine Leap Year party. The first set in the cotillion was composed of the following: Miss Werner and Mr. Anthony, who led, Miss Mayhew and Mr. Hardy, Miss Nicholson and Mr. Cox, Miss Brelling and R. Russ, Miss Schultz and F. Russ, Miss Campbell and Mr. Bowen, Miss Schupham and Mr. Moore, Miss Morris and Mr. Redington, Miss Smith and Mr. Jackson, Miss Prather and W. Moore. The other dancers were Miss Fairchild and Mr. Wilkin, Miss Craig and Mr. Yates, Miss Otey and Mr. Robbins, Miss Wallace and Mr. Curtis, Miss Putnam and Mr. Wilcox, Miss Gemmel and Mr. Eaton, Miss Higby and Mr. Catton, Miss L. Rued and Mr. Holmes, Miss Reed and Mr. Oliver, Miss Dowdle and Mr. Dean, Miss Donnelly and Mr. Dawson, Miss Hayes and Mr. Brown, Miss Underwood and Mr. Wadleigh.

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Mr. and Mrs. Howard Gray are out of town on a fortnight's trip. They will return the middle of next week. M. May, Mr. and Mrs. Bray, will drive to the Yosemite. They will be accompanied by Miss Blix Smith.

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Philip Bradbury and Miss Mayne Smith were married last Sundty evening at the residence of the bride's relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Rooch, 865 Eighteenth street. The guests were all intimate friends, among them Mrs. L. B. Ayres, Mr. and Mrs. Roach, Mrs. J. F. Creamer and daughter, Edward Smith, Mrs. Grace Mestayer, Frank Houpt, Miss Gladys Houpt, Mr. and the Misses Campbell, Andrew Campbell and wife, Lieutenant Kennedy and brother, the latter acting as best man, and Miss Emma King of Sacramento, the bridesmaid.

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The Misses Galindo of Telegraph avenue gave a perfectly delightful barn party on Valentine's night. The guests were received in the house, but at 9 dancing begun in the barn. It was a charming night for dancing. Among the guests were: Miss Doyle, Miss White, Miss McDevitt, Miss Dozier, Miss Galindo, Miss Pressley, Miss Cushing, Miss Benner, Miss Dibert, Miss Connelly, Miss Riordan, Miss Barr, Miss McNamara, Mrs. Crafts, Mrs. Brouillet, Mrs. Peralta, Mrs. Galindo, Dr. Milton, Dr. Taylor, Messrs. White, Crafts, Squires, Reeve, Anderson, Parks, Dibert, Dozier, Taylor, De Garmo, Mather, Miller, Baker, Bledsoe, Galindo, Brouillet, McElroy, Enright, and Arrigallia.

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Miss Daisy Belle Sharpe, the pretty girl who acted with Charity Company this time, was given a testimonial at Y. M. C. A. hall, San Francisco, last Monday evening. She is going on the stage, you know, and will not be here again for a great while, as she goes East to accept an engagement. She has considerable histrionic talent, and a very pretty face. She was assisted by Mabel Love, the Reliance Glee Club, Frank Coffin, Frank Belcher and the Treble Clef Quartette. Mr. Tilton did the accompaniments. Among the audience were many Oakland people, prominent among them the two Reliance men who sent her three exquisite shower bouquets of violets on the occasion of her appearance at the Macdonough, and almost came to blows, according to the old rules, to see which should see her after the performance.

Mrs C. P. Kennedy entertained the Thursday Evening Euchre Club at her home, 853 Jackson street, last week. Fifteen games were played, followed by refreshments. The members present were: Miss M. Campbell, Miss L. Clough, Miss Grace Campbell, Miss J. Callahan, Miss E. Monnet, Miss N. Higby, Miss B. Callahan, Miss A. Lefevre, Miss Lizzie Tillson, Mrs. C. P. Kennedy, J. Jellett, T. W. Brooks, W. E. Griffith, C. S. Myrick, B. Dusinbury, C. Lefevre, Frank Buckley, H. Lefevre, D. Cornell.

Miss Campbell and Chester Myrick won the first prizes.

And now my little song must come to an end, dear Tribune. It is Washington's Birthday and there are bicycle races and a day-out-of-doors in prospect. Isn't it the prettiest weather for February? A cheerful good day from

THE MEDDLER.

A DANCING PARTY.

Miss Horton gave a dancing party last night to her elder pupils and their friends in the lecture-room of the school, corner Twelfth and Filbert streets. The room was appropriately decorated with flags and national colors. It was the first of a contemplated series of dances to be given at the school. Frank Fletcher acted as manager.

Among those present, besides the students, were: Misses Francis Irish, Nellie Humphreys, Sadie Whitney, Grace Gorril, Helen Garthwaite, Sadie Hale, Viva Nicholson, Gertrude Allen, Ione Fore, Hattie Kittredge, Anita Wightman, Katherine Craven, Edith Simpson, Annie Pratt, Alice Webb, Gladys Clement, Bessie Eby, Gertrude Snow, May Coogan, Mary Henshaw, Elma Farnham and Wyntie Brodt; Messrs. Herbert Kellogg, Wallace Alexander, Clarence Cook, Graham Laws, Ralph Bender, Homer Parker, Roland Oliver, Ed Oliver, Allen Chickering, Harry Chickering, Tom Olney, Will Olney, Ed Newell, Harold Harvey, Walter Starr, Louie Simpson, Edgar Simpson, Arthur Tasheira, John Irish Jr., Orville Pratt, Rishworth Nicholson, Howard Baxter, Ben Reed, Sylva Farnham, Eugene Farnham, Howard Byxbee, Howard Hus, Frank Hus, J. Earle, Russell Whitney and Harry Knox.

The musical comedy, "Open Session of the Influential Order of Chocolate Bonbons," given by the ladies of the Alameda Unity Circle Tuesday evening, was a grand success and quite an attraction. It was given in Linderman's Opera House. Those taking part were dressed to represent bon-bons, as were also the ushers. Among the participants were: Miss Byler, Miss Henn, Miss Lunt, Mrs. Holt, Mrs. Davis and Miss McCurrie.

The ladies of the Y. M. C. A. held their annual reception in the parlors of the association building, 1424 Franklin street, last Tuesday afternoon. It was an enjoyable affair and well attended, many friends of the organization being present. The parlors were prettily decorated in greens and flowers by the young ladies. Care and taste were displayed and the large rooms looked very attractive.

During the afternoon an informal programme was rendered, to the enjoyment of those present. Addresses were also made.

Rev. James Curry opened the meeting with a prayer and Bible reading.

Dr. Kummer made a few remarks, contrasting the position of the woman of to-day with that of the woman of years ago.

Mrs. P. D. Browne spoke of the Christian element in woman's work. Other addresses were made by Rev. Robert Ritchie, Mrs. Mills of Mills Seminary, Mrs. Van Kirk and Mrs. Chamberlain. Miss Irene Rutherford gave a piano solo and Miss Mabel Taylor and Miss Leckie played the guitar. Miss Florence Sharon sang sweetly "Good Bye, Sweet Day," and was accompanied by Miss Fore on the piano. Mrs. Hollock of Tacoma sang "He Loves Me" and the "Holy City." Mrs. Carlton sang two solos, as did also Miss Rutherford.

Conversation followed, during which tea and light refreshments were served. Among those present were noticed: Mrs. W. I. Reed, Mrs. David Rutherford, Mrs. C. Sadler, Mrs. J. J. Scotchler, Mrs. E. C. Selfridge, Mrs. W. E. Sharon, Mrs. N. A. Salter, Mrs. J. H. Thomas, Mrs. R. B. Thompson, J. J. Valentine, Dr. H. P. Van Kirk, Mrs. I. M. Johnson, J. A. Joyce, Mrs. Kales, Mrs. J. C. Kimball, Mrs. P. D. Browne, Mrs. S. G. Chamberlain, Mrs. A. Dow, Mrs. H. C. Mygatt, Mrs. H. G. Noyes, Mrs. J. M. Merrell, Mrs. Willin Kirk, Mrs. E. Wolfenden, Mrs. W. A. Jacobs, Mrs. Anson Barstow, Mrs. Gilbert L. Curtis, Mrs. D. W. C. Gaskill, Mrs. W. H. H. Graves, Mrs. George D. Gray, Mrs. J. P. Ames, Mrs. M. E. Larkey, Mrs. W. F. Lewis, Mrs. George Miller, Mrs. C. T. Mills, Mrs. T. W. Coogan, Mrs. F. A. Bashford, Mrs. M. K. Blake, Mrs. Albert Brown, Mrs E. G. Buswell, Mrs. H. C. Capwell, Mrs. D. Carrick, Mrs. W. A. Childs, Mrs. S. Clisby, Mrs. Gilbert L. Curtis, Mrs. Thomas Crellin, Mrs. R. F. Coyle, Mrs. A. Dow, Mrs. J. A. Folger, Mrs. S. T. Alexander, Miss M. R. Babson, Miss Minnie Bailey, Mrs. W. H. Bailey, Mrs. M. Biddle Fenner, Mrs. William Gregory, Mrs. J. M. Halstead, Mrs. A. C. Henry, Mrs. E. Hutchinson, Mrs. Pliny Bartlett, Mrs. M. S. Billings, Mrs. W. A. Merriam, Miss Emily Raymond, Mrs. J. W. Beck, Mrs. George D. Gray, Mrs. Charles W. Fore, Mrs. M. P. Morris, Mrs. P. G. Buchanan, Mrs. Standeford, Mrs. William McGill, Mrs. E. E. Page, Miss E. M. Yorker, Mrs. W. A. Childs, Mrs. T. Crellin, Mrs. Stone, Mrs. O. C. Wheeler and Mrs. T. L. Horn.

THE MILLER LUNCHEON.

Mrs. H. M. A. Miller gave one of the prettiest luncheons of the season last Tuesday, complimentary to Mrs. Mark Requa. It was what might be called a reunion of the Requa-Herrick wedding, the guests being of that pretty bridal party. They wore their pink bridesmaids dresses and large pink hats. The table was decorated with large sprays of apple blossoms. After the luncheon the guests adjourned in a body, each taking a sprig of apple blossoms, to Mrs. Wheaton's.

Among those invited to meet Mrs. Requa were: Miss Lulita Booth, Miss Ethel Moore, Miss Nina Pringle, Miss Annie Herrick, Miss Evelyn Shepard, Miss Janet Watt, Miss Floy Brown, Mrs. Tom Magee.

THE WHEATON "AT HOME."

Mrs. Geo. Wheaton entertained a large number of friends at a tea at her home on Lake street Tuesday. The large house was beautifully decorated with wild flowers, the first eschscholtzlas of the season making the house look warm and cheerful. The sunlight was not debarred but poured in at the windows.

The guests became so numerous that many sought the cool veranda and pleasure grounds. This emergency had been provided for. The porch was decked with flowers and kept cool by an awning.

Mrs. Wheaton made a charming hostess, as she always does. She was assisted by Mrs. Edson Adams and Miss Ella Sterrett. Besides these Mrs. Wheaton invited a few friends to spend the afternoon and help her entertain. Among these were Mrs. W. G. Henshaw, Miss Nellie Chabot, Miss Amy McKee, Mrs. Capt. Currier, Mrs. Milton Bulkeley, Mrs. J. E. McElrath, Miss Elsie McElrath, Mrs. J. H. Watkinson, Mrs. Robert Watt, Miss Janet Watt, Mrs. Victor Metcalf, Miss Allie Grimes, Mrs. Al. Havens, Miss Havens, Miss Beatrice Steele, Miss Elsie Bennett.

LINCOLN STUDENTS DEBATE.

The pupils of the A ninth grade of the Lincoln school, held an interesting debate last Monday in the school room.

The subject was: "Resolved, That the United States should not acquire any more territory." The way the subject was handled reflects great credit on the debaters and Miss Morgan, their teacher.

Miss Bessie Reed led for the affirmative, her assistants being Miss Marion Barney, Miss H. Bassett, E. Bendel, C. Lancaster, Miss Stella Hansen, and Victor Metcalf. The negative side was upheld by Ralph Street, leader, M. Samuels, Oliver Smith, Mary Cadagan, B. Garfield and Frank Graham. The critics were Miss Ella Fern and Clarke Sullivan.

Misses Doevling and Helen Gay and S. Sol, who acted as judges, decided in favor of the affirmative.

Frank Graham presented a pretty to the class.

SIMPSON—BLACKBURN.

The wedding of J. L. Simpson of Portland and Miss Mary Gertrude Blackburn took place at the home of the bride's parents, 272 Thirteenth street, last Monday evening at 8 o'clock. It was a violet wedding, the idea being carried out in detail. The dining-room was a mass of purple fragrance. A large bowl of violets formed the center piece of the table, while smaller bouquets and loose flowers were prettily arrayed about the table and room. The parlor was in green and yellow, acacia being used to artistic effect. The bay-window was banked with greens, and from the arch, suspended by white satin ribbon, was a bunch of tea roses. Under this Dr. Locke, pastor of the First M. E. Church of Portland, performed the ceremony, which made the happy couple one.

The bride looked beautiful in a gown of silver-gray crepe de chine over white sateen. She wore real orange blossoms, and in her hand carried a bunch of violets.

Miss Ruth Sarginson of Portland acted as maid of honor and A. Bowers of San Francisco as best man.

After the wedding the guests repaired to the dining-room, where supper was served.

Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Blackburn, J. W. Blackburn, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Thompson, of Portland, Mr. and Mrs. Weber, Mr. McCloud of Forest Grove, Miss Lilie Cable, Miss Birdie Cable, Miss Belle Allen, C. Barnes of Portland, Miss Gertie Mansfield, Charles Dirvan, George Furness, W. Jenkins and Mrs. John Sarginson.

The young couple met in Portland, where the bride has resided for some time. They came to Oakland that she might be married at home. They left Tuesday for Portland, where they will make their residence.

THE EMLAY TIN WEDDING.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Emlay celebrated their tin wedding Thursday at their home, 523 Thirty-sixth street. It was, indeed, a tin wedding, the presents of that metal being numerous and unique. The most comical was a large spoon about four feet in length and large in proportion. This, as other jokes, was received with good humor by Mr. and Mrs. Emlay, and the evening was most enjoyably spent. The couple received many congratulations and best wishes.

During the evening a delicious supper was served. Toasts and speeches were the order. After supper, dancing was resumed till a late hour.

Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ruedy, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Emlay, Mr. and Mrs. William Sohst,

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Editor Tribune—Sir: Through the courtesy extended us by the publication of our sermon contributed in your Monday columns, we are encouraged to ask your co-operation in the following plan to the extent of giving it the publicity of your columns.

We wish to provide an easy means by which the people in the far off and isolated West and South, and along the lines of the lighthouse and signal service stations on the Atlantic coast, may secure current literature after it has been read and laid aside, and to see if we can get your readers to aid us in this little philanthropic movement.

The reading world is divided into two classes—those who have access to more literature than they can well assimilate, and those who are starving for good reading. The rapid development of the newspaper and magazine, and the cheapening of the cost of their production has brought an overflux of reading matter to those of us within easy communication of the great cities, and it is hard for us to understand that there is a class of people in our undeveloped West and South whose lives are as barren of the influence of literature as in the days when the magazines of the country could be numbered on our fingers, and the Sunday newspaper was only a possibility. Many of these people do not see a magazine once a year; they are hardly able to provide the necessities of life, much less these which they call its luxuries.

A careful study convinces us that there are over a million fairly well-educated people in this country, often parents of growing families, who are completely out of touch with the thought of the day, simply because they are unable to buy or borrow in any way the current papers and magazines which come to us in such profusion. We know of one family in Oklahoma, fifty miles from a railroad, which receives one of the cheap magazines at the hands of a kindly New England woman. They all read it, and every neighbor within ten miles (six families in all) regularly takes a turn at its columns. The woman to whom this magazine is sent is educated, and her letters, could we reproduce them here, would make this one unnecessary.

We have hundreds of such names in lighthouses, signal service stations, among pioneers in the new West, in the piney woods of North Carolina, the bayous of Louisiana and Mississippi; and yet the average American home in the Middle and New England States is overflowing with the accumulation of daily, weekly and monthly periodicals. One may talk of the influence of a religion in the development of a people, but the influence of good reading, of the educative process, is of but little less importance, and here at our hand is an opportunity for much of talk sort of usefulness.

The Newspaper Sermon Association wishes the names of all persons who will give us their co-operation in the following manner, viz: To agree to send to some one—or more if you wish—of these far-off places, for one year, a periodical of some character—Sunday paper, magazine or weekly—to the name and address of a worthy individual, which will be furnished them by this association. Great care will be made in the selection of names, and all persons sending periodicals will receive a letter from the recipient of their kindness acknowledging the same.

Now, though this may seem to you a small philanthropy, do not let that idea of it tempt you to leave it to your neighbor. You do not know how many lives you may touch and how much you will brighten them; people who are cut off from so many of the privileges of civilization, whose lines are cast in dark and pathetic places.

It is the hope of the Newspaper Sermon Association to present plans of this sort occasionally, believing that the world is full of men and women who are anxious to give something of themselves to others when the opportunity comes to them in a simple and practical manner. May we have your help? All letters or postal cards will be courteously acknowledged, and every effort will be made to make this a pleasure to you and a benefit to the participants of your benefactions.

Periodical Department, Newspaper Sermon Association, 13 School street, Boston, Mass.

LITERARY NOTES.

The edition of the works of Bishop Butler, upon which Mr. Gladstone has for some time been engaged, will be published during the spring by the Clarendon Press.

In these days of international irritation, it is a satisfaction to learn just what the "British Opinion of America" really is. Richard Whiteing of the London Daily News, a very well-known English journalist, in an article on this subject in the March Scribner, directs attention, not to the opinion of the social and political leaders, but to the "Man of the Street," and to the great mass of work-a-day people throughout England. They have revised their ideas of America in the past twenty or thirty years, and no longer regard the country as a Mecca for the laboring man. They see that there are industrial and social problems here as well as in England. But, what is most important in view of the recent Venezuelan dispute, is that "the non-conformist conscience is for peace with America, as the rest of human conscience." The article closes with a reference to the Transvaal affair. Mr. Whiteing comes to his task of voicing the average Englishman's views, unusually well-qualified to judge both of them and their application, having had, besides his observation at home, an extensive experience as a special correspondent abroad.

The February number of the little wonders among magazines, Romance, is worth looking at. It is a veritable treasury of art, with page after page of picture and stories, making a really remarkable combination, for the very low price which it costs. The sale of the first number reached 100,000 copies, and was completely exhausted by the 19th of January.

General Greely's article in March Ladies' Home Journal upon "The Personal Side of Washington" will show that Washington was largely influenced by his environments, but also that he steadily tended toward the higher standards of the present age, especially as regards his habits and ideals. Of the first election in which he actively participated, General Greely writes: "In his younger days Washington extended at his first election the usual post-election hospitality, which, in those days, consisted of the minimum amount of food with the maximum amount of spirits. We find him paying an account for such an entertainment for some 400 voters, where the account was 3 shillings for food and 27 for liquors. The capacity of the average drinker may, perhaps, be placed at three quarts at a sitting, as derived from this account, which covered one hogshead of punch, one barrel of punch, forty gallons of punch, nine bowls of punch, forty-five gallons of wine and forty-seven gallons of beer. Washington, who was not present, expressed his surprise at their moderation, and wrote his agent that he feared he had not been liberal enough, and expressed the hope that he had not neglected those who had voted in the opposition."

"Stanhope of Chester" is the title of a very readable novel just issued from the library of Rand, McNally & Co. of Chicago. It is a tale of the times and deals with characters in real life, thus making its charm the more potent. There is nothing silly about it; on the contrary, it is a careful reflection of humanity. (50 cents; Rand & McNally).

A new and thoroughly revised edition of "The Woman's Manual of Parliamentary Law" has just been issued. This manual, although intended for all students, is especially prepared for the use of women, in their clubs, unions, or any organizations where it is important to conduct meetings properly. Parliamentary principles and rules are given, the reason why certain things are done are explained, and (which is still more essential) these are supplemented by practical illustrations in dialogue form, which make so clear the points presented that the most inexperienced person cannot fail to understand them. The book is made as elementary and simple as possible, containing all the minute details of presenting of debating, of making motions, of voting, etc., while at the same time it omits nothing which is essential to a knowledge of the principles, rules and practice of parliamentary law. The thousands of women who are organizing clubs, conducting unions, relief corps, etc., will find this little book to be just what they want. It will help them to become active participants in the many meetings which now they too often attend as listeners only. (Lee & Shepard, Boston. Price 75 cents.)

The villas in the neighborhood of Florence have been famous for centuries, but there is no adequate hand-book describing them. Lee Bacon has written a popular account of them for Scribner's March issue, and he article will be very richly illustrated.

Opie Read is known as the Guy Maupassant of short-story writers for the South. While his stories lack the artistic literary finish of that prince of writers, they contain all his masterful art of surprise and fascination. A collection of his brightest gems is now to be had for twenty-five cents, from the publisher, F. Tennyson Neely, under the title of the Captain's Romance. Many of Mr. Read's brightest sketches have become immortal, waifs, several being included in Stedman's American Authors, and there marked anonymous.

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Julian Hawthorne needs no introduction. He is one of the most fascinating writers in the world and one of the best proofs of his ability is the fact that he was recently awarded the first prize of $10,000 offered by the New York Herald for the best original story. His style is irresistible and once started any work of his is eagerly perused until the end is reached. Two of his best and latest efforts have just been placed on the market in one volume. They are "Kildhrum's Oak" and "A Strange Friend," and lovers of romance will do well to obtain the book. (Street & Smith, New York; price 50 cents.)

Very few people realize how popular a flower the carnation has become. The consumption each winter in New York exceeds fifteen millions of cut flowers. The culture of carnations will be explained in Scribner's Magazine for March by J. H. Connelly. The illustrations are to be printed in color.

The Clarendon Press is about to issue a collection of the traditional hymns of the ancient Gaelic church in Scotland, by Mr. Alexander Carmichael of Edinburgh. Mr. Carmichael, who is in the Excise, is a very learned Celt, with an extensive acquaintance with the old customs of the Western Isles.

The Chicago Open Court (No. 441) published the first half-tone reproduction of Rontgen's work in this country. The current number (442) offers material of equal interest. Through Mr. Bonney, President of the World's Fair Congresses, the editors have obtained translations of all the letters written by the most prominent Catholic prelates and divines of France to Abbe Charbonnel regarding the advisability of holding a Second Religious Parliament in Paris in 1900.

A story of adventure, rich in description, vivid in romance and entertaining in every little detail. Such is a concise summing up of "The Sea Wolves" by Max Pemberton, which has just made its appearance in the literary markets. There has been gathered together from the field of historical romance material such as will delight the lover of as exciting story and the episodes of Spanish turmoil are full of life and action. To a boy the work will be more than acceptable. (50 cents, Rand, McNally & Co., Chicago.)

When "The Duchess" writes a book there is a large percentage of people want to read it, for every lover of a romance knows that it will be good. In "A Point of Conscience," a story of fashionable life is told. It is the usual holding up of the mirror of polite society, but it is done in such an admirable way that the frivolities and glitter of that element of existence take on a new interest. The scene is London and the nobility, of course, play a prominent part. (Cloth $1; J. B. Lippincott Co., Philadelphia.)

A second series of Irish Idylls has been coined by Jane Barlow and the deserved success that attended the other similar work from her pen will undoubtedly be repeated, for a more charming set of sketches of Irish life cannot be imagined. They reproduce the manliness and tenderness of the Irish race together with the wit and peculiarities of the little Emerald Isle. The titles of a few of the idylls give a general idea of the nature of the book. They are "Jerry Dunne's Basket," "Mrs. Kilfoyle's Cloak," "A Journey," "Con the Quare One," "Mr. Polymathers" and "Mad Bell." (Well bound, $1.25; Dodd, Mead & Co., New York.)

Godey's Magazine for March is filled with matter that is timely, beautiful and interesting. Perhaps the most absorbing are two biographical articles: one "The Life of Cecil Rhodes," and the other called "The Senorita of the Sword," being descriptive of Jaquarina, the Spanish-American swordswoman who has defeated the cracks of the United States and English armies, and who will represent America in the Olympic games this spring. The achievements of this woman have been little heralded, and many Americans will be glad to read of their remarkable champion. "A Winter on the Riviera" and "Lumbering in the Adirondacks" are seasonable; and the features appealing especially to women are "Club Houses for Women," Miss Mary A. Proctor's experience as an astronomer and lecturer, and the "Fashion Department."

With the March issue the Atlantic Monthly begins two important series of papers. The Irish in American Life, by H. C. Merwin, is the first of the promised articles on Race Characteristics in American Life. Under the general heading, the Case of the Public School the Atlantic will discuss the payment and standing of teachers throughout the country. Over ten thousand teachers have been requested to contribute information as the basis of these papers. The first, The Witness of the Teacher, by G. Stanley Hall, President of Clark University, Worcester, Mass., appears in this issue.

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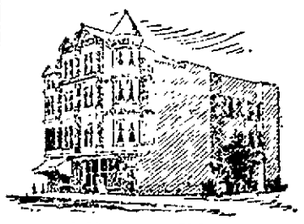

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4:34 p	Martinez, San Ramon, Vallejo, Napa, Calistoga, El Verano and Santa Rosa	8:46 a
4:38 p	Benicia, Vacaville, Woodland, Knight's Landing, Marysville, Oroville and Sacramento	10:14 a
6:36 p	European mail, Ogden and East	9:13 a
7:36 p**	Vallejo	7:14 p
7:36 p	Oregon express, Sacramento, Marysville, Redding, Portland, Puget Sound and East	10:14 a
10:37 p	Sunset Limited, Fresno, Los Angeles, El Paso, New Orleans and East	10:10 p

NILES ROUTE.
First Street Near Broadway.

Leave	From November 20, 1895.	Arrive
9:00 a	Niles, San Jose, Stockton, Ione, Sacramento, Marysville, Red Bluff and ***Orville	3:37 p
9:00 a	***Peters and Milton	***6:41 p
1:00 p	Niles, San Jose and Livermore	8:07 a
5:12 p	Niles, San Jose, Livermore and Stockton	6:41 p
6:43 p	Haywards, Niles and San Jose	7:07 a

SAN LEANDRO AND HAYWARD.
Seventh Street Near Broadway.

Leave	From November 20, 1895.	Arrive
7:00 a	To Melrose, Seminary Park, Fitchburg, Elmhurst, San Leandro and Haywards.	†9:33 a
9:00 a		11:08 a
10:30 a		1:08 p
12:30 p		2:08 p
3:30 p		5:08 p
4:30 p		6:08 p
5:30 p		8:08 p
7:30 p		10:08 p
9:30 p		11:18 p
11:30 p		6:38 a

SANTA CRUZ DIVISION.
Fourteenth and Franklin Streets.
Narrow Gauge.

Leave	From November 20, 1895.	Arrive
8:15 a	Newark, Centerville, San Jose, Felton, Boulder Creek, San Cruz and way stations; ***also Gilroy, Tres Pinos, Watsonville, Pacific Grove, San Luis Obispo, Guadalupe and way stations	5:44 p
3:15 p***	Newark, Centerville, San Jose, New Almaden, Felton, Boulder Creek, Santa Cruz and principal way stations	***11:14 a
5:15 p	Newark, San Jose and Los Gatos	9:44 a
11:45 p*	Hunters' excursion, San Jose and way stations	***7:14 p

†Runs through to Niles.
A for morning. P for afternoon.
*Saturdays only.
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‖Sundays and Thursdays.
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1:55 P. M.	1:45 P. M.
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8:25 A. M.	9:15 A. M.
10:25 A. M.	10:15 A. M.
12:25 P. M.	12:15 P. M.
1:55 P. M.	1:45 P. M.
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BEN F. WOOLNER—Attorney and counselor-at-law and notary public. 1003½ Broadway, rooms 7 and 8.

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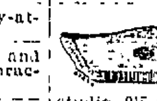

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$2950—Modern 5 room cottage, stable, large lot 50x100; central location; 15th and Grove st. Laymance & Co., No. 466 8th st. 174A

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$3500—New modern residence 8 rooms; five minutes walk of 14th and Broadway; complete in every detail; installment terms to good party. Laymance & Co., No. 466 8th st. 174V

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MUST be sold this week, cottage of 4 rooms and bath, and cottage of 6 rooms and bath; lot 50x135, situated on 13th near Wood st.; rents for $30; make offer. W. P. Ryan, 960 7th st.

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HOUSES TO RENT.

TO LET—Unfurnished, a nice cottage of six rooms and basement on lot 60x150; furniture for sale. Apply on premises 1271 7th av., East Oakland.

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Notice to Creditors.

ESTATE OF DOLLY S. WEBSTER, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, executor of the estate of Dolly S. Webster, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers within ten months after the first publication of this notice to the said executor at the offices of E. M. Gibson and Welles Whitmore, No. 1003½ Broadway, Oakland, Cal., rooms 7 and 8, which said office the undersigned selects as his place of business in all matters connected with the said estate of Dolly S. Webster, deceased.

J. H. SUMNER,
Executor of the estate of Dolly S. Webster, deceased.
Dated, Oakland, February 22d, 1896.
E. M. Gibson and Welles Whitmore, attorneys for said executor.

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REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS

DEEDS.

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 21, 1896.

E. P. and Vivian P. Vandercook to M. H. Eastman E Van Dyke av. 141.20, N 4th av. N 50, E 125, S 38.15, W 41.66, S 11.55, W 83.34 to beginning, being lot 22, Ridgewood; QCD, $10.

Gertrude B. Wurts to Albert S. Woodbridge NE Lincoln av. and Spruce st. E 44 x N 140, blk G, Clinton Mound tract; NE Lincoln av. and Spruce st. E 132 x N 283, being lots 1, 2, 3, 12 and 16, blk G, same; $10.

Sibyl S. and H. H. Schrader to Mark S. Baker, lots 1 to 8, blk D, Broadway Terrace tract, subject to a mortgage; $10.

Pacific Coast Savings Society to Alexander Johnson, W Park st. 110.24, S Buena Vista av. S 35.41½, W 106.33, N 35, E 107.60, to beginning, blk 16, lands adjacent to Encinal; $2360.

J. C. and Mary E. McMullen to Mary H. Buck, wife of J. J., lots 15 and 21, blk 1, lot 46, blk 2, Grove st. line tract; $10.

Fred and Frieda Harder to Emily Wendt, wife of Oscar, T Virginia st. 120, E Grant st. E 40 x S 12.1½, blk 1, State University Hd Assn., No. 1; $100.

Emma L. Bowne to Harriet A. Pratt, sub F, bounded by Merrill av. Lloyd av. Wheeler av. and Lane st., being portion Fruitvale Terminal tract; $10.

H. C. Morris to Thomas Nuttall, S Jones av. 50 W Chestnut W 150 x S 125, being lots 9, 10, 11, blk 12, Warner tract; $10.

D. J. Buckley to Hyacinth Gill, SW 15th and Cypress W 71 x S 32, blk 582 B, Bagge tract; $5.

Harry H. Seawell to E. T. Leiter, W West st. 111.26, N 36th or Logan N 25 x W 108.21, being lot 5, blk H, Major Given tract; $10.

Tillie Campbell to E. A. Heron, NW Broadway 210, NE Edith NE 30 x NW 100, blk 1, Broadway Terrace, subject to a mortgage to University of California for $70; $10.

Fred W. and Rebecca C. Gilman to Harry H. Seawell, W West st. 111.26, N 36th or Logan N 25 x W 108.21, being lot 5, blk H, Major Given tract; $10.

Frank M. and Rose H. Wilson to L. D. Syle, S Virginia st. 225 E Le Roy av. E 50 x S 125, being lot 10, blk 18, Daley's Scenic Park; $10.

James L. and Mary C. Barker to David B. Hunter NW Dwight Way and Ellsworth W 50 x N 100, blk 4, College Hd.; $10.

C. D. and Edith A. Brunn to Charles A. Mohrhardt, S Durant av. 305 E Ellsworth st. E 50 x S 130, blk 12, College Hd.; $10.

Manoel T. and L. M. Sousa to Jos. T. Sousa, und ½ int. 2.506 acres NE county road San Leandro to Oakland, 105.41½ feet, N from S corner lands of Maurice Welch, thence NE 1035.54 feet x NW 105.41½ reserving strip 5 feet along said county road; grant.

Joseph T. Sousa to Manoel T. Sousa, undived ½ interest N line county road San Leandro to Oakland, at S corner 10 acre tract of Maurice Welsh, thence SE 1035.513 x NW 105.41½, except a strip 5 feet wide along said county road; grant.

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Second hand coin for new furniture and carpets at H. Schellhaas', 408 Eleventh street.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

HOMESTEAD LOAN ASSOCIATION OF BERKELEY, (a corporation), Plaintiff, vs. FRANK E. NELSON, et al., Defendants.	No. 11,741

Under and by virtue of an order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale issued out of the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, of the State of California, on the 5th day of February, A. D. 1896 in the above entitled action wherein Homestead Loan Association of Berkeley, (a corporation), the above named plaintiff, obtained a judgment and decree of foreclosure and sale against Frank E. Nelson and Henry T. Lally, defendants, on the 29th day of January, A. D. 1896, for the sum of One Thousand and Eight and 95-100 dollars, in lawful money of the United States, besides interest, costs and counsel fees, which said decree was, on the 4th day of February, A. D. 1896, recorded in Judgment Book 12, of said Court, at page 125, I am commanded to sell all that certain lot of land situate in the Town of Berkeley, County of Alameda, State of California and more particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Commencing at a point in the easterly line of Pine street distant thereon two hundred (200) feet southerly from the southeasterly corner of Pine and Durant streets; and running thence southerly and along said line of Pine street one hundred and twenty (120) feet; thence at right angles easterly one hundred thirty-four and one-half (134½) feet; thence at right angles northerly one hundred and twenty (120) feet; and thence at right angles westerly one hundred thirty-four and one-half (134½) feet to the point of commencement; being the southerly forty (40) feet of Lot Three (3) and the northerly eighty (80) feet of Lot Six (6) of Block Ten (10), as said lots and block are delineated on a certain map entitled "Map of the Property of the Berkeley Villa Association," filed in the office of the County Recorder of said Alameda county on July 27th, 1875.

Public notice is hereby given that on

MONDAY, THE 2D DAY OF MARCH, A. D. 1896,

At 10 o'clock A. M. of that day, in front of the Broadway entrance of the Court House of the County of Alameda, in the City of Oakland, I will, in obedience to said order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale, sell the above described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to raise sufficient money to satisfy said judgment, with interest and costs, etc., to the highest and best bidder for lawful money of the United States.

Oakland, February 5, 1896.
CALVIN B. WHITE, Sheriff.
F. M. Husted, attorney for plaintiff.

PROBATE NOTICE

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of Naomi Kent Washburn, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc.

Notice is hereby given that a petition for the probate of the will of Naomi Kent Washburn, deceased and for the issuance to Caroline Webster, of letters testamentary thereon has been filed in this Court, and that Monday, the 2d day of March, A. D. 1896, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Court room of Department No. 4, of said Court, at the Court House in the City of Oakland, in said County of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition and proving said will when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated, February 13th, 1896.
(Seal) FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.
By F. D. Adams, Deputy Clerk.
Wm. H. H. Hart, No. 152 Crocker Building, San Francisco, attorney for petitioner.

ANNUAL MEETING.

The regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the California Improvement Company will be held at the office of the company, No. 1003½ Broadway, Oakland, on Tuesday, the twenty-fifth (25th) day of February, 1896, at 9 A. M., for the election of a board of directors for the ensuing year and the transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting.

T. F. SCANLON, Secretary.
Oakland, February 10th, 1896.

LEGAL.

NOTICE.

State and County Taxes for the Year 1895.

STATE AND COUNTY TAXES FOR the year 1895.

To all taxpayers in the County of Alameda, State of California.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, tax collector of the County of Alameda, State of California, is in receipt of the assessment book of said County of Alameda, and that in accordance with the provisions of Section 3746 of the Political Code of the State of California.

Notice is hereby given that the assessment book for State and County taxes for the year 1895 on all property within the County of Alameda has been received by me, and that the taxes as shown by said assessment book are now due and payable at my office in the Court House of said County of Alameda, in the City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, every day, (except legal holidays) during office hours, after the first Monday in October, 1895, and as follows:

The taxes on all personal property secured by real property, and one-half of the taxes on all real property in the said County of Alameda, will be due and payable on the

First Monday in October, in the Year 1895,

At my office in the Court House of said Alameda County, situated in the City of Oakland, in said county, every day (not a legal holiday) during office hours as fixed by law, and will be delinquent on the

Last Monday in November, 1895,

At 6 o'clock P. M. of said day and that unless paid prior thereto, fifteen per cent will be added to the amount thereof, and that if said one-half be not paid before the last Monday in April, 1896, five per cent will be added thereto.

And notice is further given that the remaining one-half of the taxes on all real property in said Alameda county for the year 1895, will be payable to the undersigned, tax collector of said Alameda county, as aforesaid, at the office of the tax collector, as aforesaid, on and after the first Monday in January, 1896, and will be delinquent on the

Last Monday in April, 1896,

At 6 o'clock P. M. of said day and that unless paid prior thereto five per cent will be added to the amount thereof.

Notice is hereby further given that all taxes may be paid at the time the first installment, as herein provided is due and payable.

And notice is hereby further given that in accordance with said Section 3746 of the Political Code of the State of California, and after the first Monday in October, 1895, all the taxes whether first or second installment, before delinquency thereof, or if delinquent, together with the percentage added thereto as is above set forth, may be paid to me at my office, as aforesaid, at any time during business hours as aforesaid, and after said

First Monday in October, 1895,

And upon such full payment being made, full receipts for the taxes both first and second installments will be given in accordance with law.

Dated at Oakland, California, this 12th day of October, 1895.

JAMES B. BARBER,

Tax Collector of the County of Alameda, State of California.

Notice of Hearing Before the Board of Supervisors of the County of Alameda of a Petition of A. P. Newbert and Others, for the Purpose of Regulating and Controlling the Charges for Water and Compensation to be Collected by the Contra Costa and Oakland Water Companies in the County of Alameda, State of California.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT on the 9th day of March, 1896, at the Board rooms of the Board of Supervisors of the County of Alameda, City of Oakland, of said County, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day or as soon thereafter as the same can be heard, the petition of A. P. Newbert and others for the purpose of regulating and controlling the rates and compensation to be collected by the Contra Costa and Oakland Water Companies, for the County of Alameda, will be duly heard and considered by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Alameda.

Said petition reads as follows:

PETITION FOR REDUCTION OF WATER RATES.

To the Honorable the Board of Supervisors of Alameda County.—

The petition of the undersigned respectfully shows and represents:

That the Council of the City of Oakland acting under the power conferred on them by law, have materially reduced the charge for the use of water supplied to the public by the Contra Costa and Oakland Water Companies and that the new rates made by the said City Council are based upon the entire plant of said Contra Costa and Oakland Water Companies and upon their entire revenue and are not confined to their expenditures and revenue arising solely within the corporate limits of the City of Oakland;

That therefore rates which will yield a lawful revenue within the said City of Oakland will also yield a lawful revenue when made applicable outside said limits;

That your petitioners are inhabitants of, and taxpayers of this County of Alameda, State of California, and reside outside the corporate limits of any City or Town in said County, and further represent that said petitioners are water-rate payers.

WHEREFORE the undersigned do hereby most respectfully petition your Honorable Board (acting under the powers conferred by law for the regulation of charges for the use of water as laid down by "An act to regulate and control the sale, rental and distribution of appropriated water in this State, other than in any City, City and County, or Town, therein, etc." Approved March 12, 1885, regulate and reduce the rates lawfully to be charged by the Contra Costa and Oakland Water Companies for the use of water in the territory within your jurisdiction outside the corporate limits of the City of Oakland as will make them uniform with such lawful rates as were recently enacted to apply within the corporate limits of the City of Oakland;

And your petitioners will ever pray, etc.

A. P. Newbert, Elmhurst.
G. W. Sommers, Elmhurst.
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H. W. Whipple, Elmhurst.
Chas. Harrison, Fruitvale.
H. Hansen, Fruitvale.
Mary E. Werner, Fruitvale.
E. Gates, Fruitvale.

Said notice above set forth is made to notify all such persons, companies, associations and corporations mentioned in said petition and all persons interested in the matters of such petition and notice of the hearing of said petition of A. P. Newbert and others for the purpose of regulating and controlling the charges for water and compensation to be collected by the Contra Costa and Oakland Water Companies in the said County of Alameda.

By order of the Board of Supervisors.
(Seal) FRANK C. JORDAN,
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of Alameda County, California.
Dated, February 3, 1896.

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NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING OF STOCKHOLDERS.

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Whitney Transfer Co., a corporation, will be held at the office of the company, 927 Broadway, corner Tenth street, City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, on Tuesday, the tenth (10th) day of March, 1896, at [illegible] P. M., for the election of directors for the ensuing year and the transaction of such other business as may come before them.

GEORGE P. McNEAR, President.
W. L. ACHARD, Secretary.

ANNUAL MEETING.

The regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the California Railway will be held at the office of the company, No. 1003½ Broadway, Oakland, on Tuesday, the twenty-fifth (25th) day of February, 1896, at 9 A. M., for the election of a board of directors and the transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting.

W. M. RANK, Secretary.
Oakland, February 10th, 1896.

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AMUSEMENTS.

Macdonough—Paderewski.
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California—"Richard III."
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Tivoli—"Der Freischutz."
Morosco's—"Wife for Wife."
Columbia—"The Old Lime Kiln."
Orpheum—High Class Vaudeville.
Grove Street—"Two of a Kind."

SATURDAY..........FEBRUARY 22, 1896

An official statement has recently been made of the cost of that great engineering work, the Kiel Canal, which shows the reaching point to have been some $39,000,000. It is about 61 miles long, 20 feet deep at dead low water, and 220 feet wide, in numerous places the width increasing to some 428 feet, to allow the largest vessels to pass each other, and work will be continued until vessels of any depth can pass at low water. The embankment is stone-lined to a depth of six feet below the water; and the locks at the North Sea end of the canal are said to be the largest in the world, with the exception of that at Bremerhaven. Two bridges span it at a height of 137 feet above the water, and there are also six opening bridges and sixteen ferries.

The State of New York has just enacted a retaliatory insurance law. The bill excludes from New York State all foreign insurance corporations whose countries do not admit American insurance companies and it was enacted as a blow against the Prussian companies in consequence of Prussia's expulsion of the life companies of that city. The bill was supposed to exclude two companies, the Aachen and Munich and the Prussian National, but Weed & Kennedy, the American agents of the Aachen and Munich, say that their company has the right of hailing from Bavaria, so that the retaliatory bill will not affect them. It works the hardest against the Prussian National. Insurance men, both fire and life, hope that since the bill has become a law Prussia will come to its senses and readmit the rejected American life companies, which would settle the whole controversy.

While there is a prospect that the Rontgen discovery of X rays will be turned to good account in surgery, there is danger that it may lead to some abuses. This important statement is made by the professor. "There are many arts and sciences to which Prof. Rontgen's discovery will be of greater value than surgery. Its application to surgery will lead to many abuses. Everybody who has a bullet or other foreign object in his body expects it to be found by the new method and wishes to have it removed.

"After many years of practice in peace and war, I maintain that foreign objects, the presence of which in the body is not a source of trouble or danger, ought to be left where they are. The consciousness of having an extra bit of lead, for instance, in one's body, especially when it causes no inconvenience, does not in the least counterbalance the danger of the operation necessary for its removal, especially is this the case in war."

The Congregational Church Building Society is in a fair way to receive one of the largest bequests ever made to that society. The basis of this statement is furnished by the Inter-Ocean. "A million dollars for benevolences, especially these hard times, doesn't grow on every bush. Mr. Joseph Henry Stickney of Baltimore is the broad-minded and large-hearted man who, at his death, distributed a fortune of about $1,000,000 among some forty different societies, associations, colleges, and other institutions. Mr. Stickney was of Massachusetts birth, an ardent believer in the Congregational faith and order, and a life-long enthusiast in the matter of perpetuating the spirit and memory of the Pilgrim Fathers. According to the dispatch from Baltimore to the Inter-Ocean a large number of colleges in the interior and West and one or two missionary educational societies in Chicago were remembered in the munificent bequest. The residuary legatee under the will, it appears, is the Congregational Church Building Society, which, it is expected, will receive not less than $400,000.

Conspiracy to Extort Money.

Whatever else may be disclosed in the Brown case, it is clearly established that a conspiracy had been formed to extort money both from the accused and from many other persons. Some of them paid and some did not. There were at least three women engaged in the infamous business, and possibly more. One rich man was bled to the tune of $2,500. The greatest pains had been taken to conceal his name. If all the men who have been blackmailed in San Francisco would admit the fact there would be a small army of victims.

The testimony thus far employed to convict the accused has been, with one exception, the testimony of persons engaged in committing a series of felonies. If the Stockton woman in her evidence did not put the finishing touches on her own career, Judge Campbell certainly did. It might have been done somewhat at his own expense. He is the Judge of a criminal court, and though he took questionable means to find out the character of the Stockton woman, he laid bare one of the most infamous conspiracies to extort money and destroy character that has ever been made public in this vicinity. Dr. Brown may have many things to explain which do not now make on their face for his good reputation. But the conspirators are just now showing their hands in a way that greatly helps his strange case.

Where the Fool-Killer Was Needed.

President Jordan makes in his popular lecture a great many good points for the fool killer. The trouble is that he does not get in his work promptly. Thus, out there in Kansas, he has been neglectful of his duty. The Populists ran away with the State, and the fool killer looked on until they had done the mischief. The Sun cites some facts from the recent report of the Railway Commission of Kansas for 1895:

"It shows that, notwithstanding the improvement in many lines of commercial business in 1895, as compared with the preceding year, there was a decline of $10,000,000 in the gross receipts of the Kansas railroads. Of the twenty-six railroads reporting to the Railway Commissioners of the Sunflower State, only two earned enough to pay even a nominal dividend on the capital invested. Thirteen of the twenty-six railroads are, as the report shows, insolvent, and in the hands of receivers.

"Not only has railroad building in that State been stopped, but the number of miles in operation was actually less in 1895 than in 1894, and less in 1894 than in 1893. There is no other State in the Union that shows a like retrogression; and while much of it is attributable to natural causes, the main damage has been wrought by the Populists. There is no security of property in Kansas; and her whole policy for years has steadily inclined toward confiscation, so far as speculative capital was concerned. The result has been the withdrawal of all capital that could be withdrawn and the paralysis of all new industries and new enterprises. It has been an expensive and a well-nigh fatal lesson, but it is doubtful if it be even fully learned by that deluded commonwealth."

Kansas, instead of gaining population, has lost 75,000 of its inhabitants in the last five years. These facts are a striking commentary on the political rule of that State for the last few years. The great practical experiment of the Populists was made in Kansas. The record of maladministration only differs from the records in other States where the same party has been uppermost for a time, in the extent of disastrous results.

For the Day.

One of the great holidays of the year has been accentuated today with more than the usual emphasis. The memory of Washington is the legacy of the Nation. At no former time has his character been dearer to the hearts of the people. This tendency to give as it were, a stronger demonstration of love and veneration for the greatest character in American history, is in the right direction. There is a stronger inclination to think of him as an American, and to accentuate every word he ever uttered that goes to illustrate that view of his character.

It is not to be forgotten that Washington had the friendship and aid of many illustrious foreigners. Lafayette was a patriot after his own heart. What satisfied the great American leader was devotion to his country. It made little difference to him where a man was born, so that he was willing to stake all his interests for the welfare of the country. The man who is an American in that sense, sinks all the minor considerations of birth and residence for a time in foreign countries. If he is a true citizen he will love the country of his adoption better than any other in the world.

There has been a strong tendency of late years to convert a great many American youths into foreigners. Children are taken over to Europe by ambitious mothers to be educated. They learn to speak two or three foreign tongues better than their own. In time it turns out that they have no country—that is, no strong love of the land of their birth. Patriotism is not an inbred virtue. They are not proud of their own country because they have found so much to minister to effeminate ways abroad. It is timely on such a day to accentuate American citizenship. The ideal of that citizenship is a love of country which allows no other to have the first place. That is the one thought which the anniversary today accentuates above all others.

The human book worm has been caricatured many times. He is a harmless character who treats books lovingly, but sometimes forgets to return them. The New York Evening Post cites this instance: Mr. Austin, an assistant librarian, in cataloguing the fine Dante collection presented to Cornell University by Prof. Willard Fiske found some live book worms in an edition of the Divine Comedy bearing the date MDXXXVI. This is the third time only that these rare insects have been found in an American library. Carefully removing the worms, which were eating from front to back, and had only reached the front pages of the Inferno, Mr. Austin took them to Prof. Comstock of the entomological department. There, after making sure that they were genuine book worms, they were developed and, having secured the beetles, they were bred from until there were sufficient eggs, book worms, and beetles for the University museum, and enough more to make Mr. Austin a present of a good-sized vial full of each.

The latest improvement in the X rays has been made by Edison according to this announcement, sent out from Orange, N. J.

"Thomas A. Edison today made pictures with the Roentgen X rays, exposing the sensitive plate, and objects to be photographed before the fluorescent tube for only one minute. The distance between the tube and the plate was only four inches. The inventor said that had he placed them as closely together as possible, he could he thought have secured a shadow photograph in a few seconds. Ordinarily it has required fifteen minutes to three hours to secure good results by all the experiments except Mr. Edison's, who had already reduced the time of exposure to two minutes."

The first point has been gained for the proposed ship canal from the Lakes to the Hudson River. The House Committee on Railways and Canals has ordered a favorable report on the bill of Mr. Chickering of New York, directing the Secretary of War to cause to be made accurate surveys, examinations, and final estimates of cost of construction of a ship canal by the most practicable route wholly within the territory of the United States, from the great lakes to navigable waters of the Hudson River, of sufficient capacity to transport the tonnage of the lakes to the sea. An appropriation sufficient to enable the survey to be made is authorized.

An Astonishing Sequel of Crime.

When the two boys, Majors and Willmore, were arrested in this city for a series of burglaries, everybody was astonished that two youngsters should be so old in crime. Where did they get their training? In what school had they been taught to become such experts? It now comes out that they had been trained by a woman, the mother of one of the boys. Mrs. Wilmore is now in jail accused of having a guilty knowledge of these burglaries and of inspiring the young men to lead criminal lives. There are bad women who can go to any extent in evil courses, but it is seldom that one hears of a mother who has deliberately trained her own children as criminals.

It may be a mitigating circumstance in the case of Majors and Willmore that they were induced to go wrong by the Wilmore woman. It was in her school of crime that they were taught. If heredity had something to do with this evil course, it is now apparent that environment and examples had much more influence. When a mother, and a professedly religious woman, opens a school of crime in her own home what can be expected of the children? This second story is far worse than the first one.

These Winter Days.

February thus far has been an ideal month. There were a few frosty mornings, but as the days lengthened the frost disappeared. Three weeks and more of sunshine, with days so warm that no fires were required in houses, save for kitchen purposes. This warm season has brought out a profusion of buds and blossoms. Almond trees in blossom everywhere for the last two weeks. Acacia trees are in golden blooms, peach and pear trees pushing out their buds, and every rose garden becoming fragrant in the winter season!

A weather prophet who has "diagnosed" the season affirms that March will be a howling month. He insists that such sunny days in February will be balanced, as it were, by the fierce blasts of March. Rainy, sloppy weather must come. All weather is good, if one only knows how to enjoy it. These February days will compensate for the storms of March.

EVENTS OF THIS DATE.

A Daily Resume of History for Your Scrap Book.

On February 22d of the years named occurred the following important events in the world's history:

HOLIDAYS

Saints Thalasius, Linnaeus, Baradet, Margaret. Legal holiday in all States except Arkansas, Iowa and Mississippi.

BIRTHS.

1723—Richard Price, satirist.
1732—George Washington.
1735—Charles, Duke of Richmond.
1756—Gilbert Wakefield classical scholar.

DEATHS.

1371—David II of Scotland.
1512—Amerigo Vespucci.
1609—Frederick I, of Tuscany.
1630—Frederick Ruysch, anatomist.
1806—James Barry, painter.
1815—Smithson Tennant, chemist.
1816—Dr. Adam Ferguson, historian.
1845—Rev. Sidney Smith.
1867—Daniel Devlin, New York.
1875—Sheppard Knapp, New York.
1875—Sir Charles Lyell, London.
1878—Prof. Albert Smith, Peterboro, N. H.
1881—Samuel Morse.
1885—Gen. Horace Capron, Washington, D. C.
1885—Francis Samuel Drake, Washington, D. C.
1886—Rev. Dr. E. E. Cummings, Concord, N. H.
1890—John Jacob Astor.

OTHER EVENTS.

1813—British capture Ogdensburg.
1819—Treaty with Spain concluded.
1837—Jane and Margaret lost off Isle of Man; 206 lives.
1847—Battle of Buena Vista.
1856—American Nationa Convention at Philadelphia, Pa.
1862—First Confederate Congress succeeds the Provisional.
1862—Jefferson Davis inaugurated President of the Confederate States for six years.
1865—Wilmington, N. C., captured by Gen. Schofield.
1866—President Johnson denounces Congress and the Reconstruction Committee in a speech at the Executive Mansion.
1868—Mr. Stanton refuses to vacate, and has Mr. Thomas arrested and held to bail.
1872—National Prohibition Convention at Columbus, Ohio, nominate James Black for President and John Russell for Vice President of the United States.
1877—Hon. John Walsh is presented with check for $50,000, which he gives to University of Pennsylvania.
1878—National Greenback party organized at Toledo, Ohio.
1884—Surrender of Tokar, Egypt, to the rebels.
1884—Funeral services in New York at the Church of the Holy Trinity for the victims of the Jeannette Arctic expedition.
1885—United States Marshal Gosling killed by prisoners in Texas.
1887—Opening of the Franklin Club building in Baltimore.
1887—Resignation of Hon. John Sherman as President of the Senate and election of Senator Ingalls to the chair.
1887—Dr. E. Smith Von Tavera appointed Austrian Minister to United States.
1889—Act dividing Dakota into two States passed the Senate.
1892—First Continental Congress of the National Society of the Daughters of the Revolution opened in Washington.
1893—City of New York and City of Paris transferred from British to American registry.
1893—President Harrison hoists American flag on New York.

HUMOROUS.

First Farmer—Has the lawsuit between you and Heysede been settled?

Second Farmer—Yes; and so are the lawyers.

"How do you mean?"

"They're settled on our farms."—Philadelphia Record.

Lady of the House—Would you be willing to work if you had a chance?

Wary Willy—How remote is the chance?—Puck.

First Clerk—Does your guv'nor ever tell you fellows funny stories?

Second Clerk—No; but we have to laugh just the same.—Amusing Journal.

Willie—I knew you were coming tonight.

Castleton—Why, Willie?

Willie—Sister has been asleep all the afternoon.—New York Truth.

A.—Political economy is a ticklish subject. A man has to be wide-awake to understand all about it. For instance, the very ideas of capital and labor—

B.—Look here! that is simple enough. Supposing I borrow 20 marks from you; that would represent capital.

A.—To be sure.

B.—Then after a while you would be trying to get your money back. That would be labor.—Zeitgeist.

A clerical error: A prolonged, prosy sermon.—Congregationalist.

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A Singer's Voice.

Mr. Alonzo Hatch, the sweet-voiced tenor, says: "In January I was afflicted with a catarrhal cold in the head, extending to the throat, producing hoarseness and almost total loss of voice, on account of which I was obliged to cancel three weeks of professional engagements. I tried three physicians, and many remedies without relief. Finally a friend recommended "77" and, I am happy to state, I used it with most gratifying results. In five days I was sufficiently recovered to keep my engagements and now am entirely cured. Can heartily recommend it to the singing profession.'

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NOTES AND EXCERPTS.

Portugal will celebrate next year the four hundredth anniversary of Vasco da Gama's setting out on his voyage round the Cape of Good Hope to India.

At the forthcoming wedding in Portland the groom will promise to love, honor and obey his wife, who is a woman suffragist, and made her affianced agree to this.

The Connecticut State Prison directors have decided to detain George A. Minor, a convict, for twenty-five years after his present term of four years expires in March next. This is the first enforcement of the incorrigible law, which permits the directors to detain any prisoner who has served three terms of not less than two years each in the state prison. Minor began his criminal career thirty-six years ago. He has served eight sentences in the state prison, three since the passing of the law.

When Queen Victoria and Empress Eugenie are together they spend all their spare time in doing needlework for the poor. Both the Queen and the ex-Empress are fond of the old-fashioned style of embroidery. The Queen bestows all her handiwork upon her poor tenants at Balmoral and at Windsor. The Empress Eugenie sends hers to poor convents, whence it is distributed to the needy.

A new system of packing butter which does away with cold chambers is being tried in Australia. The butter is packed in cubical boxes made of glass, the joints being covered with adhesive, grease-proof paper. The boxes vary in size, holding from one pound to two hundred pounds. When a box is filled it is covered with a quarter of an inch of plaster of Paris, and this with prepared paper or canvas. The plaster, being a non-conductor of heat, preserves the hermetically sealed butter.

MENU FOR TOMORROW.

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 23RD.

BREAKFAST

Fruit
Wheatlet — Sugar and Cream
Mutton Chops — Potato Cakes
Waffles — Coffee

DINNER

Consomme
Roast Beef
Browned Sweet and White Potatoes
Cauliflower — Peas
Lettuce Salad
Wafers — Celery — Cheese
Iced Rice Pudding
Stuffed Dates — Bon Bons
Coffee

SUPPER

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Lettuce Sandwiches
Sliced Oranges — Cake
Chocolate

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It is seldom an opportunity that will be offered on Monday, February 24, 1896, and following days, presents itself to the public. The fact is we have over 200 lots in the Warner, Moss, Fairview and Highland Tracts and which must be sold regardless of price.

The terms have been made so easy that any man, woman or child who has the capacity to earn money can easily lay aside $1 per week. That is not so much, if put into the Savings Bank will only amount to $52 per year. One or two dollars judiciously invested in land that is constantly increasing in value, will eventually lead to a fortune. The whole people of California now realize that land values are on the eve of a great advance.

While we take pleasure to announce to the public that we will offer this elegant property, located in the midst of fine improvements, we regret at the same time that we are compelled to make the sacrifice of the same that we will on February 24th and following days.

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The property located in the Warner Tract consist of over 100 lots in the first and second blocks of the Electric Road, the very cream of the Tract, and is within ten minutes ride to the City of Oakland and fifty minutes of San Francisco. There is sold in this Tract alone over 40 lots to bona fide purchasers. Over 300 new houses have been built in this district within the past three years; an elegant public school building costing $15,000 has been erected; a magnificent hotel, business houses, places of worship, streets graded, city water, in fact every convenience at your front door.

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Remember you have an opportunity of buying a lot from $75 and upwards to $500 if you take advantage of this offering at once. If you are desirous of building, arrangements can be made whereby you can pay for your home on easy installments. If you are not in need of a home make an investment for your children, it will pay you. Every lot purchased will be in the midst of improvements. You cannot make a mistake. The property must be sold.

If you do not make an investment for yourself or children in property that will double before paid for, it will not be our fault, we have presented you with the opportunity. Call early, select choice location, see the property before the 24th as no lot will be sold before that date. Full particulars at our office,

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TOLD A TALE OF TRUTH.

Julius Abrahamson Gives a Discourse on Religious Enthusiasm.

The Subject Handled Logically and in an Impressive Manner.

At the synagogue of the First Hebrew Congregation last night, Julius Abrahamson, the energetic and capable President of the society, delivered an interesting lecture before a large and appreciative audience. To the varied talents which Mr. Abrahamson has displayed in his duties in connection with his present position regarding the synagogue, with which he has been credited, must now be added those of lecturer, because his effort on the rostrum was a pronounced success.

The subject of the discourse was "Religious Enthusiasm."

"Enthusiasm," he said, "makes difficulties easy if it does not even deny their existence. If we were to go back to the root of the world we would find that it means 'possessed of God,' recalling the old belief that the divinity entered into the body of the individual, that it would move, making it a passive agent of its purpose. The old words still live, though the old beliefs have died, or rather they have become modified into metaphors. Enthusiasm still has for us almost all its original sense and we still feel that the man enthused is the man God-possessed. The divinity is upon him and within him. It is impelling him, raising him above his ordinary self and ordinary capacities. So you can observe that genius is rarely discouraged for often the magnitude of the serious difficulties kindles a corresponding enthusiasm that comes with yet greater force by the impetus of resistence. When the Great Napoleon learned that large mountains were to bar his progress he said, 'There Are No Alps.' But one of his generals said, 'Impossible to cross.' 'Impossible,' he said, 'is a word known only in the dictionary of fools.'"

The lecturer then showed the distinction between enthusiasm and zeal and asserted that there is a glad ring in the voice of the man of enthusiasm and a harsh grating note in the voice of zeal. "The earnestness of a zealous man may often lead him to the bigotry of fanaticism, for it sows the same root as jealousy."

"The Hebrew has ever been an optimist. His heart was full of hope and even persecutions could never quite kill it. But the historian calls the life of the Jew of the middle ages 'A fifteen hundred years' tragedy,' but strange to say, the Jew himself was blissfully unaware of it. The Jew never feared God. He trusted him too implicitly. He felt too near Him, too certain of His protection.

"The prophets of old were oftener zealous than they were enthusiastic. In that respect they differ from the so-called prophets of today. The prophets of today, called rabbis, are serene in whom divine enthusiasm and cheer bubbles forth as a perennial spring. They take the scoffer by the hand and many times also by the pocket and make him a worshipper. Furthermore, the minister is not only a rabbi, a teacher, but he is also a preacher. He points out the path of right by all the force of his eloquence and fervor, shows them the glory of duty and the horror of sin. This is the highest function as well as the hardest of the rabbi.

"Enthusiasm need not be demonstrative, but, if the gleam of faith enlightens the face so that it shines, and if the eyes, those windows of the soul, tell us with their calm and trustful look that all is well within then all is well indeed. All the struggles of life cannot move it from its confidence in God and God alone. Then we have enthusiasm in its purest and exalted form."

Mr. Abrahamson then made a fervid appeal to his hearers in behalf of the children of the Sabbath school.

Pointers From Piedmont.

PIEDMONT, Feb. 22.—The Boys' Bible class gave an entertainment at Oak Chapel last night.

The people of Piedmont are talking of having a morning worship. Sunday school will follow and the evening will be for the Christian Endeavor.

The Gas Company has laid its pipes as far as Laurel street.

Earle Mather is sick with rheumatism.

Fish City, which belongs to the State of Michigan, is a peculiar place, with a watery flavor; has no existence in summer, but is a busy place in winter; is not built on land, yet has nothing to do with boats. The ice of Saginaw bay is used as a foundation for the city every winter and the town is occupied by men and their families, who catch, clean and pack whitefish and lake trout for the market. It is built in the same cove every winter, the houses being constructed of rough pine boards. It had a population of nearly 3600 in the winter of 1893-94, nearly twice that number last winter, and this season the population has taken another jump forward.

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SOCIETY NEWS.

(Continued from page 5.)

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Fiese, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sohst, the Misses Bertha Reier, Lizzie Eggers, Clara Haelke, Kate Eggers, Sophie Sohst, Ada Mosch, Roselle Emlay, Aileen Emlay, Nellie Sohst, Julia Koch, Louise Emlay, Alice Sohst, Bertha Ruedy; Messrs. Louis Aitken, George Eggers, William Sohst Jr., Arthur Dibert, Joseph Bouquet, Henry Ruedy Jr., George Upton, Alphonse Brehm and Carl Sohst.

THE PRESBYTERIAN CONCERT.

The choir of the First Presbyterian church gave a concert last evening, which was a great success and was well attended.

The following programme was rendered:

Organ Solo, "Fanfare"....J. Lemmens
Miss V. DeFremery.
Soprano Solo, "The Secret of the Lilies" ....G. F. Cobb
Mrs. Maude Berry Fisher.
Harp Solo, "Chimes of Sydney".... ...... Marquardt
Mme. Alexandra Breitschuck-Marquardt.
Contralto Solo, "Because I Love You" .... Chadwick
Mrs. Chas. Dickman.
Organ solos—
(a) Pastorale, opus 23..F de la Tombelle
(b) Toccata, from 5th organ symphony .. ..C. M. Widor
Miss V. DeFremery.
Part 2—A. R. Gaul's Holy City.
Chorus and Tenor Solo—"No Shadows Yonder."
Tenor Solo—"My Soul is Athirst for God."
Chorus—"They That Sow in Tears."
Contralto Solo—"Eye Hath Not Seen."
Chorus—"For Thee, Oh Dear, Dear Country."
Baritone Solo and Chorus—"A New Heaven and a New Earth."
Double Chorus—"Let the Heavens Rejoice."
Soprano Solo—"These Are They Which Come Out of Great Tribulation."
Chorus for Female Voces—"List, the Cherubic Host;" Baritone Solo—"I Heard the Voice of Harpers."
Chorus—"Great and Marvelous Are Thy Works."

The solos were sung by Mrs. M. B. Fisher, Mrs. Chas. Dickman, Mr. Thos. Rickard and Benj. Clark.

A VIOLET LUNCHEON.

The "violet luncheon" given by the Misses Alice and Della Tobriner at their residence, 766 Ninth street, Friday afternoon, was an enjoyable affair. The guests of honor were the five recently engaged young ladies, Miss Estelle Cohn, Miss Ermine Greenhood, Miss Melita Frank, Miss Della Crauer of San Francisco and Miss Jennie Lachman of Reno, Nev. The spacious parlors were tastefully decorated with violets in great profusion. Misses Alice and Della Tobriner, gracefully assisted by Leah Harris, received. The costumes worn by the hostesses were violet. In the skillful game entitled "Heart and Arrow," Miss Rose Levy won the first prize, a very handsome present. The booby prize was captured by Miss Ray Landecker. Vocal selections were rendered by Miss Juliette Levy and Miss Ray Landecker.

Those present were: Misses Estelle Cohn, Ermine Greenhood, Melita Frank, Celia Abrahmson, Leah Harris, Emma Scheeline, Fannie Bernheim, Becky Phillips, Anna Hartman, Rose Leavy, Nettie and Belle Hirshberg, Lucy Peres, Lillie Cohen, Jennie Rosenberg, Della and Alice Tobriner; San Francisco, Misses Ray and Belle Landecker, Adele Tobriner, Juliette Levy, Della Craner, Rose Harris, Gertie Rosenfeld, Mrs. Mark Frank, Mrs. Bert Altmayer and Miss Jennie Lachman of Reno.

THE M'CORMICK BENEFIT.

Company A, Fifth Regiment, N. G. C., gave an entertainment and hop Thursday evening at Armory Hall. It was given for the benefit of J. B. McCormick, who has been ill for some time. McCormick's popularity was shown by the large attendance and a neat sum was raised in his behalf.

The following programme was rendered: "Fun in a Doctor Shop," members of Company A; violin solo, Llewen Hughes; quartette solo, Company A Quartette; recitation (selected), Miss Camille Kelley; trombone solo, John Laughland; Change Manual, Companies A and F; recitation, Raymon Whitaker; specialties, Winne McDonald; whistling solo, Miss Lillian Ida Garish; accompanied by Miss Edith Garish; recitation, George W. Calvert; specialties, Miss Jennie and Flossie Sawyer; double trapeze, F. B. Cooke, H. F. Kilborne, Acme Club; Silent Manual by Sergeant Downie's squad, members of Company A.

At the conclusion of the musical and literary exercises dancing was indulged in.

UNLUCKY THIRTEEN.

The "unlucky thirteen" has proved false to its name again, by being once more in luck. This time the good fortune took the form of a four-in-hand drive through Golden Gate Park. The members of the club were the guests of one of their number, Miss Emma Mahoney. They went to San Francisco in a body last Friday, and after the drive stopped at Mrs. Austin's, where they were pleasantly entertained.

Among those who enjoyed the drive were: Miss Mary Whitney, Miss Carrie Ritter, Miss Ethel Kittredge, Miss Gail Converse, Miss Lillian Strong and Miss Marguerite Jolliffe.

SENIORS ENTERTAINED.

Miss Anna Head of Head's Seminary, Berkeley, gave a pleasant tea at the school Tuesday, to the seniors and alumni. The large house was beautifully decorated with flowers and wild ferns and greens. A sumptous dinner was served, over which the young ladies made merry.

Last Saturday the middles entertained the seniors, by giving a ball in their honor.

THE DEXTER CONCERT.

Mrs. Carrie Brown Dexter will give a concert next week on the 25th. The ushers have been chosen from Mrs. Dexter's girl friends and are Misses Edith L. Larkey, Eunice Holmes, Annie Reed, Ella Brown and Georgie Cope. Among those who are taking very active interest in advancing the interests of the concert are Madame Wendte, Mrs. John Russ, Mrs. E. M. Hall, Mrs. E. A. Kluegel, Mrs. W. G. Henshaw, Mrs. Wm. Morris, Mrs. S. P. Hall, Mrs. Chas. D. Pierce, Mrs. Hayward G. Thomas, Miss Abbie L. Grant, Mrs. Dr. Lilienkrauz, Mrs. B. F. Dunham, Rev. C. W. Wendte.

A CHINA WEDDING.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert B. Daniels celebrated their China wedding Thursday evening. A score or more friends gathered at the Daniels home in Piedmont to do honor to the occasion. Among them were Mr. and Mrs. Albert Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Z. T. Gilpin, Mr. and Mrs. George Patterson, Mr. Henry Dalton, Mrs. Ada Hughes, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Craig, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Wilkins, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Boynton, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Kercheral, Mr. and Mrs. D. Rutherford, Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Clark, Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Loring, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Smith, Mr and Mrs. George Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Webb N.

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A DONATION PARTY.

The Ladies' Relief Society of West Oakland gave a Donation party last Monday evening at Fraternity Hall, corner Seventh and Peralta streets. The following programme was admirably rendered:

Instrumental duet........................
Misses M. Kavanaugh and S. Flanagan.
Opening address..............................
Rev. J. B. McNally.
Tenor solo...
Mr James B. Lane.
Specialties...
Mr. H. Coleman.
Contralto solo......................................
Miss Kate O'Neil.
Recitation..
Mr. Raymond Whittaker.
Vocal solo..
Mr. W. Claire Wilson.
Recitation..
Mr. Osborne.
Vocal duet..
Misses Louise and Kate O'neil.
Recitation..
Mr. Ed McManus.
Piano solo..
Miss S. Flanagan.

The entertainment was in every way a great success and the ladies wish to thank the talent and all their friends who helped to make it so.

LOGAN—BOEHMER.

The wedding of Miss Emma Boehmer youngest daughter of Freitz Boehmer of Alameda, and Chas. W. Logan of Oakland was celebrated at the home of the bride's parents, 2319 Central avenue, Alameda, last Saturday evening. Rev. G. R. Dodson of the First Unitarian church officiated.

Miss Alma Boehmer, sister of the bride, was bridesmaid, and the Misses Lulu and Alma Ernst acted as maids of honor. Frank Lyons of Oakland acted as best man.

A wedding supper, served under the personal direction of Mrs. F. Maddler, followed, and the health and happiness of the newly-joined couple was frequently toasted. The couple left on a late train for San Francisco, and will make their future home in this city.

Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Boehmer, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Ernst, Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Hilderbrand, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sheldon, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Miller, Mrs. Johanna Ernst, Mrs. Fleishman, Mrs. Hessler, Rev. G. R. Dodson, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Graff, Miss Lulu Sevening, Miss Alma Ernst, Frank Lyon, A. P. Stiefvater, J. E. Barber, Eddie Ehrenpfort, Mr. Lamkin, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sevening, Miss Lulu Ernst, Miss Alma Sevening.

A SILVER WEDDING.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Smith celebrated their silver wedding Tuesday at their home, 10-0 Oak street.

A number of their friends were invited to a banquet in honor of the event. The guests were seated at 3 o'clock, exactly the same hour Mr. and Mrs. Smith were married in 1871.

Among those present were: Dr. and Mrs. Henderson, Miss Ella Henderson, Mrs. Schetter, Prof. E. S. Richardson, Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell, Y. Egger, and wife, Miss B. M. Shaw, Miss Alice Braly, Jules Brady, Will Brady, H. McKean, Miss Ella McKean, Dr. Goldson, W. G. Goldson, Dr. Ward, Miss Jeanee Ward, Edna Wood, W. Judson, F. Spencer, Mrs. Gray, Williams, Mrs. Gertie Harrison, Master A. Drucker, Austin Smith, Miss H. A. Smith and Mrs. M. Montieth.

THE MURRAY THEATRICLS.

A very charming evening was that given by Miss Murray at her father's residence on Kittridge street, Berkeley, last Friday. A three-act comedy entitled "The New Woman," was well presented. A pretty stage with curtain and accessories was built in the drawing room, and an admirable cast of characters interpreted the play to the entire satisfaction of the large number of guests present. The participants were Misses Murray, Wilson, Farnsworth and Gompertz, Messrs. Housman and Murdock. After the drama a delicious supper was served.

THE PHIL SHERIDAN CONCERT

A treat is in store for those who attend the concert to be given by the Phil Sheridan Circle No. 3, Ladies of the G. A. R., on next Tuesday evening at Loring Hall, Eleventh and Clay streets. The Young Ladies' Quartette, composed of Miss Charlotte Gruenhagen of San Francisco, first violin; Miss Mabel Crabtree, of Oakland, second violin; Miss May Barrington, of Oakland, viola and contralto; Miss Annie Barrington, 'cello; Miss Pearl Noble of Alameda, cornet and soprano, and Miss Maud Noble, trombone, all members of the Saturday Morning Orchestra of San Francisco, will entertain.

THE CURRIER CARD PARTY.

A pleasant informal card party was given by Miss Hattie Currier of Snell seminary at 981 Jackson street Thursday evening. The guests were mostly college students, the boys being from one of the Berkeley fraternities. Euchre furnished amusement for the evening, light refreshments being served after the game.

Those present were Miss Blankart, Miss Augustus Kent, Miss Marguerite Thornton, of Stockton, Mrs. Grace Hampton; Messrs. Elma Rowell, A. Warner, and W. Creed.

FORESTERS SMOKE

Court Grant, Ancient Order of Foresters, held an enjoyable smoke Wednesday evening at Odd Fellows' Hall East Oakland. Members of the order with their friends gathered to spend the evening in social enjoyment over the pipe. It was one of the most pleasant events in the history of the organization.

After a short musical and literary programme, pipes and tobacco were passed around while dainty light refreshments were abundantly dispensed.

Addresses were made by Chief Ranger Andrew McEllhatton, Sub-Ranger Norman Greathead, J. W. White, E. Olnel and others.

THE TAYLOR SURPRISE.

The friends of Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Taylor tendered them a surprise last Wednesday evening, in honor of their seventeenth anniversary of their wedding. During the evening Mr and Mrs. Taylor received several handsome gifts, including a costly clock. The latter was accompanied by a neat letter of presentation.

THE RUST PARTY.

W. B. Rust, son of the late Capt. E. C. Rust, entertained a number of his schoolmates this week at his home in Berkeley. The house was prettily decorated and the evening passed enjoyably.

Among those present were Mabel Gerrine, Mabel Edwards, Edith Bruns, Toney Cooper, Emma Hahn, Clara Boynton, Alice Zenger, Hattie Martin, Sarah Matthews, Willie Cavalier, Elmer Nelson, Ross Cooper, Bernard Smith, Bob Finn, Louis Pape, Archie Taber, Charles Sleeper, Wendell Farrar, Harold Platt, Winfield Mathews, Willie Mathews and Willie B. Rust.

GASTON—ORMOND.

The wedding of Walter Garton and Miss Maggie Ormond took place at the home of the bride's parents in Temescal on Wednesday evening. After the wedding the immediate friends of the contracting parties partook of a wedding supper. After a visit to Santa Cruz Mr. and Mrs. Garton will reside in Oakland.

CHAT OF THE CHURCHES.

Arrangements and Notices for the Usual Sunday Services.

Well Chosen Texts Will Be Treated in the Local Pulpits.

First Methodist Episcopal Church—The pastor, Dr. Kummer, will occupy his pulpit both morning and evening. In the morning, at 11 o'clock, he will preach on "The Humiliation of Christ;" in the evening he will conclude his series on "Popular Amusements" by answering a large number of interesting questions which have been submitted to him by members of his congregation.

St. Andrew's Episcopal Church—Ninth and Cypress. Divine service at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Sermons by Rev. J. Hulme. The Holy Communion will be celebrated at 7:45 A. M. Evening prayer at 4 P. M. on Tuesdays and Thursdays, at 10:30 A. M. on Wednesdays, and on Fridays at 7:30 P. M. during Lent.

Eighth Avenue M. E. Church—S. J. Carroll, pastor. Preaching by the pastor at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M., Subjects, morning, "How the Crimson May Become White;" evening, "Why So Many Recent Church Troubles?" Epworth League at 6:30.

Zion's German Evangelical Lutheran Church—Services at 10:45 A. M. The pastor, Rev. J. H. Theiss, will preach. Subject, "Temptations;" services in the Lorin Hall at 3 P. M.

First Free Baptist Church—On Twenty-first street, between San Pablo Avenue and Brush street. Services at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. In the morning the pastor, Rev. Philip Graff, will preach on the "Americanism and Greatness of Washington," and in the evening the Sunday school, under the direction of Prof. S. P. Meads, will give a concert in commemoration of Washington and Lincoln, consisting of music, addresses and recitations appropriate to the occasion. Everybody cordially invited.

Pilgrim Congregational Church—Rev. M. Willett, pastor. Subject in the morning, "An Exhortation for the Nerveless and Weak-kneed" and in the evening, "George Washington."

First English Lutheran Church—Corner Grove and Sixteenth. Rev. J. E. Bushnell, D. D., pastor. Missionary service at 11 A. M. conducted by Supt. P. M. Fisher. The pastor will preach at 7:30 on the gospel for the first Sunday in Lent; subject, "Temptation of Christ." There will be an election and installation of an elder at the morning service.

The Young Men's Rally at the Young Men's Christian Association hall, Twelfth and Clay streets, tomorrow afternoon at half-past 3 o'clock will be of special interest. The Hus Family Orchestra will assist in the song service and will render several special selections. Miss Pearl Noble will be present as usual and render valuable assistance with the cornet. The address will be given by Mr. M. M. Meyers of Portland, Oregon, on the subject "What a Blind Man Saw." An invitation is extended to all men to attend.

Thirty-Fourth Street Methodist Church—The pastor, Rev. G. H. Jones, will preach both morning and evening. Subjects, "The Good Shepard," "The Two Ways." Epworth League at 6.45 P. M.

Prospect Hill Presbyterian Church, Fruitvale—Rev. E. E. Clark, pastor. Services 11 A. M. and 7:15 P. M. Subject of morning sermon, "Christian Contentment;" subject of evening sermon, "Religion and Patriotism."

Tenth Avenue Baptist Church—Rev. C. M. Hill pastor. 11:00 subject, "The Character of Washington;" 7:30, A. C. E.; evening address by the pastor, "Soul-Winning at Home" by Mrs.

Bishop J. W. Hott, D. D., a distinguished divine and platform speaker from the East will lecture on "Tent Life in Palestine" at the Market Street Congregational Church on Friday evening, February 28.

Market Street Congregational Church, corner Market and Eighteenth streets, Rev. E. S. Chapman D. D., the pastor will preach tomorrow morning and evening, and teach a Bible class at 1 P. M. Subjects at 11 A. M. "The Lord's Love for Our Home and Family Life;" at 7.30 P. M., "What the Lord Loves More Than Our Home and Family Life."

At the Church of the Advent, Episcopal, East Oakland, Rev. V. Marshall Law, rector, there will be morning prayer at 11, and sermon by the rector on "In the Wilderness;" in the evening at 7:30 shortened service and sermon on "Casting Lots." Early celebration at 8 o'clock and Sunday school at 9:30.

Central Christian Church: morning service 10:30, Sunday school 12 M, Christian Endeavor 6:15 P. M.; Edwards Davis will preach on "Correct Belief not the Essential of Salvation, but Grace by Obedience to Faith."

At the First Presbyterian Church Dr. Coyle will preach at 11 A. M. on "The Banner of the Blue," and at 7:30 P. M. on "Find a Way to Make One." All welcome.

Preaching at Universalist Church both morning and evening. Rev. John Hughes will preach in the morning and Rev. Kate Hughes in the evening.

First Christian Church, corner of Thirteenth and Market streets. James Small pastor. Morning theme, "A Great Doo." Evening, "The relation of the Catholic Church to the Bible and the Public Schools." Rousing singing, sweet solos, and free seats. Rev. John Hughes of Table Grove, Illinois, the noted orator and lecturer in the Universalist Church, will fill the pulpit on Sunday morning, March 1st.

Brown, formerly of Swatow, China, on "Soul-Winning Away From Home."

First Baptist Church—Rev. C. H. Hobart, pastor of the First Baptist Church will speak tomorrow at 10:30 and 7:30 upon the following themes: Morning, "A Sure Refuge;" evening, "Sowing and Reaping."

Centennial Presbyterian Church—Dr. Ellis will occupy his pulpit at the Centennial Presbyterian Church morning and evening. Morning subject, "The Sifting of Peter." Evening, "Papal Rome According to Daniel."

First Unitarian Church—Rev. C. M. Wendte will preach at 11 A. M. Topic, "The Church of the Early Christians," at 7:30 o'clock, sixth and last musical lecture, topic, "A Review of all the Great Church Composers." Illustrative music by Mrs. J. M. Pierce and chorus choir and a string quartette.

St. John's Church—Grove street, near Eighth. Rev. F. J. Mynard, rector. Rev. Benjamin Akerly, D. D., rector Emeritus. Services 7:45 and 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. The Rt. Rev. P. T. Rowe, D. D., the newly elected Bishop of Alaska, will preach in the evening.

Chester Street M. E. Church—Geo. Beatty, pastor of Chester Street M. E. Church, will preach morning and evening; 11 A. M. Mark 11:24; 7:30 P. M., "I Am the Lord that Healeth Thee."

Thesophical Society—Lecture by Dr. Annie J. Patterson; subject, "What Is Life," at the Thesophical library, Hamilton Hall, at 8 P. M.

QUERY-BOX AT THE FIRST METHODIST CHURCH.

Among the questions to be answered by Dr. Kummer tomorrow night are the following:

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Mrs. Dann's Death.

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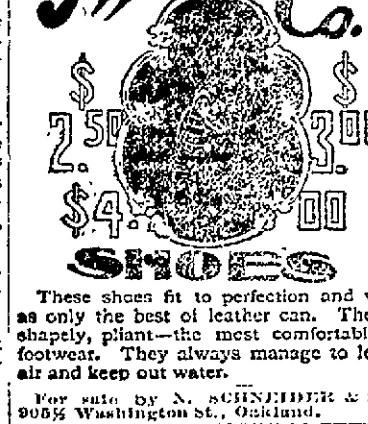

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NOTICE TO VOTERS!

REGISTRATION!

Office of the County Clerk,
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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT at a regular meeting of the Board of Supervisors of Alameda County, State of California, held on the 13th day of January, 1896, it was ordered that the Clerk of said County make a new and

COMPLETE REGISTRATION

of the voters of said County, in accordance with the provisions of Section 1091 of the Political Code of the State of California, that said registration commence on the 17th day of February 1896, and continue until 85 days before the next General Election, to wit., to and including August 9th, 1896, when such registration will cease.

Now, therefore, this is to give notice, that in pursuance of said order, said new registration will commence on the 17th day of February, 1896, and continue to and including August 9th, 1896, when such registration will cease.

Further notice is hereby given that affidavits for registration may be sworn to before any Deputy County Clerk in the different towns and precincts of the County, or any Deputy County Assessor without charge. Affidavits can also be sworn to before any Justice of the Peace or Notary Public. All naturalized citizens who have not been registered before must present papers when applying for registration.

The office of the County Clerk at the Hall of Records, Oakland, Cal., will be open from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. and from 7:30 p. m. to 9 p. m. for the accommodation of voters. All citizens are notified to apply for registration at once.

Notice is given that, after the filing of affidavits, and when names are entered on the Great Register postal cards will be sent to each citizen of the date of such entry. If postal is not received voters should ascertain at once for his own protection the reason why.

Feb. 17, 1896.

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County Clerk.

(Seal.)

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The following programme will be presented:

Sonata, C major, op. 53.....Beethoven
Impromptu B flat major, op. 142 No 3. ....Schubert
Capriccio, ...Paganini-Schumann
Fantasie, "Midsummer Night's Dream" .....Mendelsshon-Liszt.
Nocturne, G major, op. 37, No. 2, ...Chopin
Mazurka, B minor, op. 33, No. 4 .....Chopin
Etudes, F major, No. 3, G. flat, No. 9, op. 25 ..... Chopin
Berceuse .....Chopin
Valse, A flat, major, op. 31....Chopin
Nocturne, Minuet, ...Paderewski
Etude de Concert, Rhapsodie Hongroise No. 2 .....Liszt

TAVARY OPERA COMPANY.

Prominent among the celebrated artists comprising the Tavary Opera Company, which will appear at the Macdonough next week, is the world-renowned tenor of the Mme. Patti concert tours of America, Chevalier Albert L. Guille. Guille was born in Avignon, France, in 1854, and studied with the great tenor, Andraro, father of the famous composer of the "The Mascott," and "Olivette." He has had a most remarkable and interesting career, one that would read like a romance more than a history of real life. Guille has sung in all the leading theatres of Europe, including those of the Russian Empire, with all the greatest artists of the age. For six seasons he was with Patti.

Marie Tavary the leading prima donna soprano of the company, is also an artist of international renown. She possesses a voice of great volume and beauty of tone, and her interpretations are most artistic. The company is strong and equipped with every accessory for the perfect production of grand opera.

Mme. Theo Dorre, who will appear in the title role of "Carmen," with which the company opens next Wednesday evening, has achieved her greatest success in this part, and her impersonation of the Cigarette Girl is said to be unsurpassed. "Trovatore" will be given Thursday night, and "Bohemian Girl" for the special matinee, Thursday afternoon.

The sale of seats will begin next Monday at 9 a. m. The demand for tickets is large and many will avail themselves of this opportunity to hear fine renderings of grand opera at small cost. Prices will be reduced for the Thursday matinee, when seats on the lower floor will be sold at 75c and $1; lower floor will be sold at 75 cents, and 25 cents.

THE OAKLAND.

The closing performances of Cinderella are packing the Oakland Theatre to overflowing, and several hundred were turned away at the matinee this afternoon. The piece is running on smoothly, and the several specialties are well received. The center of attraction is Lady Douglas. The trained cockatoos came in for special attention and the refined and highly artistic efforts of the renowned Jordan sisters in songs and dances are repeatedly encored.

Commencing Monday, Feb. 24th, the roaring, rollicking clean farce comedy Our Bachelors will be produced by a special stock company, composed of old favorites, among them Paul Craig and M. J. Hooley. The play is a bright and laughable affair that will delight and amuse large audiences during the week. Several specialties will be rendered, among them clever vocal renditions by Miss Violet Sheldon, late soprano with the Heine Grand Concert Company, and a double waltz clog by M. J. Hooley and Miss Jennie Kelton Guerin.

The F. W. Bacon Company, late of Cordray's Theatre, Portland, will open at the Oakland Theatre March 2nd in the original production of Bottom of the Sea.

THE BALDWIN.

Frederick Ward will commence a season of legitimate plays at the Baldwin next Monday. That Mr. Ward will prove a drawing card goes without saying. The repertoire will be as follows: Monday, Wednesday and Friday nights and Saturday matinee, The Mountebank; Tuesday and Thursday nights, The Lion's Mouth, Saturday night, Virginius.

THE CALIFORNIA.

Nellie McHenry is the attraction for next week at the California. The success of this jolly actress is due to her painstaking methods. She has many new hits and is as popular as ever.

THE COLUMBIA.

During the past week the peerless little comedienne, Katie Putnam, with a capable company of players, has been packing the Columbia at every performance. Both the star and the play, "Margery, or at the Old Lime Kiln," have made a pronounced hit. Miss Putnam displays peculiar histrionic gifts of her own, even in advance of those of the great Lotta and Little Nell, still remembered as the "California Diamond." Miss Putnam's engagement will continue all next week.

THE ORPHEUM.

Manager Walter has excelled himself in the bill he has offered patrons of the Orpheum this week. The list of attractions makes a programme that has never been equalled in the history of that popular place of amusement. The attendance has been beyond the capacity of the house every night this week.

MOROSCO'S

"The Pulse of New York" a stirring drama of life in the great metropolis, is billed for next week at Morosco's. The cast includes a wonderful presentation of six different characters by Florence Thropp. There are several very sensational scenes. The railroad and East River and fire scenes will be exceptionally fine pieces of stage mechanism.

THE TIVOLI.

"Der Freischutz" has been presented to large audiences this week at the Tivoli. A more elaborate production of opera has never been given at the house.

THE ALCAZAR.

The Carlton Opera Company in an elaborate repertoire of popular operas will be the attraction at the Alcazar next week. The opportunity to hear this fine company at popular prices is the first ever given in San Francisco.

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Each member of the local Christian Endeavor Society at Springsport, Mich., pledged herself to turn into the treasury a dollar earned by herself, and Mrs. Jennie Clay earned hers in a unique way. Two tramps called at her house and demanded food and lodging. She went into her room, got her husband's revolver and ordered the tramps to throw up their hands, which they did. She then commanded them to march, and started them for the village lock-up, where they were caged for the night. In the morning they were registered and allowed to depart, Mrs. Clay giving them breakfast. She then presented a bill to the village council. "To arresting two tramps, 50 cents each, $1," and that body, after a good deal of humorous debate, allowed the bill

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Potent Results Obtained by the Tests at the 'Varsity.

BERKELEY, Feb. 22.—A new industry for California has been discovered at the State University. Experiments have recently been conducted in the College of Agriculture which demonstrate the possibility of manufacturing perfume from the flowers growing in Southern California. The experiments were qualitative and were made to determine the fragrancy and percent of fragrance in the blossoms. It was found that it was sufficient to warrant the manufacture of perfume in Southern California and a gentleman from Riverside is much interested in the venture. He has been at work for some time on the experiments and made tests with nearly all the plants common about Riverside. Some of those experiments are with tube roses, orange blossoms, lemon blossoms, eucalyptus and buckwheats. The results were so encouraging that the manufacturing of perfume will probably be numbered among California industries soon.

A BOARD OF ARBITRATION.

A meeting of the Student Body of the University of California was held yesterday afternoon in Stiles Hall. President Kellogg presided. The meeting was held in response to an appeal from leading citizens of Chicago and New York calling for assemblages all over the United States on Washington's birthday to consider the following questions:

1. Do we wish the governments of the United States and Great Britain by formal treaty to establish arbitration as the method of concluding all differences which may fall of settlement by diplomacy between the two powers?

2. What is our opinion of war as a mode of deciding controversies between the United States and Great Britain?

The questions were discussed by the faculty members present and students jointly. Among the students who spoke were William Nat Friend, Harry H. Hirst and Cleve Dam. Professors Jones, Bacon and Gayley discussed the questions for the faculty. Quite a little stir was created by Professor Gayley when he came forward. The classes had all been dismissed to enable all students to attend the meeting. This didn't suit the professor. He thought a a "kindergarten method" and prefaced his remark with a little invective against it. "The matter was important enough," he said, "to warrant the faculty's setting aside an evening for its consideration." After the discussion the following resolutions were adopted:

"Whereas, It is desirable in the cause of civilization and the interests of humanity that the percentage of international differences that lead to war should be reduced to a minimum through the application of the principle of arbitration, and,

"Whereas, the common interest of the United States and Great Britain and the common character and purpose of their political institutions suggest the eminent desirability as well as the feasibility of the adoption of some permanent method for the amiable settlement of the many disputes in which their governments may be directly or indirectly concerned, therefore

"Resolved, that the faculties and students of the University of California in a joint meeting, this 21st day of February, 1896, gladly add their voice in favor of the movement for the arbitration between the movement for the arbitration of international questions especially between the United States and Great Britain, and "Resolved, that these resolutions be sent to the President of the United States, the Secretary of State, the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives; also the Senators and Representatives of this State in Congress, urging them to take the necessary steps to initiate this great reform."

CATHODE RAYS.

Experiments have for the last few days been carried on in the University of California with the Cathode Rays discovered by Prof. Roentgen. Success did not come until yesterday. Those who conducted the experiments were Professors Cory, Slate and Messrs. Drew, Cottrell and Le Conte Jr. The negative obtained finally was underexposed but shows clear shadows of an iron and platinum spatula, a copper coil and a coin.

HERE AND THERE.

The Sophomore class met yesterday. Baker and Meade were nominated for "Blue and Gold" manager and Chickering, Dickey and Rector for editor. The election will be held Tuesday from 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.

The Eighteenth anniversary of Berkeley Lodge I. O. O. F., was celebrated Thursday evening. The veteran Odd Fellows were the guests of honor.

The Sophomore "co-eds" appeared yesterday in mortar boards. The custom has been dying out and they decided to revive it.

DOUBLE LOSS OF CONFIDENCE.

His Dog a Poorer Fighter and He a Worse Judge of Dogs Than He Thought.

From the Detroit Free Press.

One day as we lay in camp on the Republican fork of the Arkansaw river one of the boys caught a big jackrabbit in a snare and made a cage of willows to keep him as a pet. Three days later a tenderfoot came along with a hunter's outfit, and accompanied by a canine which looked to be a cross between a hound and a bull-dog. He said he had bought the dog the day before from a teamster, and that the animal was a match for any three mountain wolves.

"What d'ye think of him yourself?" asked the corporal.

"He looks to me like a fighter," was the reply.

"How much did you pay for him?"

"Fifteen dollars."

"I don't think he's a fighter," observed the Corporal in a careless way. "He looks to me more like a runner."

"Have you anything which can run him?" asked the tenderfoot ,as he bristled up.

"Yes, I think I have. We captured a hodog the other day, and I think he can run that dog."

"What is a hodog?"

"Sort of a prairie wolf. There isn't much fight in them, but there's less in your canine. I'll bet $5 he runs your dog out of sight."

"If he does I'll give you $10," shouted the stranger, who was nettled over the way the boys were winking and grinning.

The dog was placed on the level outside the camp, and the Corporal went after his rabbit. Before bringing him out he tied his ears over his head with a strip torn from a red handkerchief, and other strips were made fast to his body. He was the oddest looking creature anybody ever saw outside of a museum when the Corporal finally dumped him out in front of the dog. We were gathered in two lines and the rabbit had to run for the dog to get clear of us. The dog was apparently ready for a row with one of his own species, but when that living curiosity came for him, he dropped his tail and started off at full speed. The jack probably took him for an old pard of his, for he followed close at his heels and humped him for all he was worth. The dog made two complete circuits of the camp, yelping at every jump, and then finding the rabbit close at his heels he jumped into the river, swam across and thus got away. The stranger looked on without a word, and when the affair was over he handed down a $20 bill.

"How's this?" asked the Corporal.

"Why," said the man, "one ten is for my dog being a blanked coward, and the other for me being a blanked fool."

Art of Going to Bed.

From the Boston Traveller.

There is a ridiculous fellow over in London who is trying to convince people that nobody understands the art of going to bed. This may be true in England, where they say people can't keep clean without "tubbing" five times a day, but it isn't true in this country, where it would be voted by a very large majority that the art which is not understood is that of "getting up."

FISHING FOR 'GATORS.

A Wooden Leg That Brings Its Owner a Good Income.

Alligators are becoming rather scarce in Florida, but a few men still make a good living hunting them, their hides meeting with ready sale.

One of the largest concerns in Jacksonville, engaged in dealing in alligator hides, had a customer upon their books named Tom Tucker, who brings in more hides than any other three men in the State. It was known that the saurians came from Dunn's Creek, a tributary of the St. John's, but beyond this fact nothing could be learned concerning his methods of capturing the reptiles until a few days ago, when a buyer of the firm visited Dunn's Creek and espied Tucker lying at full length on a log, one end of which was in the creek. Tucker had a leg thrown into the water, and just as the buyer approached he saw the alligator hunter scramble up the bank, while a huge saurian beat the muddy water into a foam. As the man reached the bank the alligator came too, having swallowed a portion of the leg that had hung over the log into the water.

Tucker took a long, sharp knife and soon killed the creature, then he unscrewed the leg and took it off to remove the 'gator. Then his scheme became apparent. He has a wooden leg, and through it are driven large steel spikes. He leaves the leg in the water and it is swallowed by the alligator. As the reptile closes his jaws the steel impales him, and it is impossible for him to escape.

A Warsaw lady recently engaged a quiet respectable-looking girl of 16 to look after her eighteen-month-old baby. As soon as he saw the nurse the child was frightened into convulsions; the girl was asked to go into another room, where the master of the house was entertaining half a dozen guests. On her entering the room a standard lamp on the table blazed up to the ceiling, three large oil paintings fell down from the wall, and a large barometer flew across the room and was smashed. The girl was not alarmed and admitted that such accidents happened frequently when she was present. She is a pale, slight girl, who suffers from insomnia. Dr. Ochorowicz, the pyschologist, is investigating the case.

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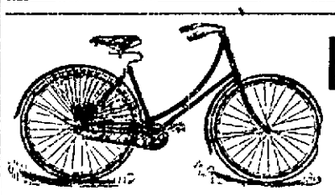

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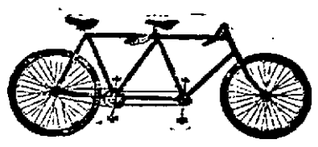

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PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.

Miss Sophie Jones of Sacramento is the guest of her cousins the Misses Denison.

Hiller Allen is at the Sandwich Islands with his sister, Mrs. Witcher.

W. A. Jacobs and Fred Jacobs are in Tulare.

Mrs. Otis M. Tupper and her daughter Helen, of San Jose, are the guests of Mrs. Tupper's mother, Mrs. W. S. Snook.

James Brusie has been visiting in Modesto.

Mrs. Yarndley is visiting friends in Orange.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Pearson have been visiting friends in Napa.

Miss Grace Carroll has returned from a visit to Sacramento.

H. A. Tubbs was among the anglers at Santa Cruz last week.

P. C. Bates went up to Petaluma several days ago to spend a week.

Miss Mabel Gray has been visiting Mrs. E. W. Churchill of Napa.

J. B. Merritt went up to Modesto this week to install the officers of a lodge.

Miss Etta Mae Wilson of this city gives and elocutionary entertainment in Wheatland today.

M. J. Keller will leave today for New York and other Eastern cities. He will be gone about a month.

Professor E. F. Barr, well known here, has been engaged as instructor of the Grass Valley Athletic Club.

Mrs. Alfred Kelley of Petaluma is the guest of her niece, Mrs. E. A. Miller of Seventh avenue, East Oakland.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Brunn of Portland, Oregon, are down on a visit to Mrs. Brunn's mother, Mrs. Jones, at Berkeley.

Thomas A. Potts of this city has bought a country place near Santa Rosa, formerly owned by ex-Supervisor Wetherington.

Miss Rita Cannon, of San Francisco is visiting Mrs. Smith of this city for two weeks.

A party consisting Ed O'Neill, Edward A. Howard, James Sutton, Charles Cushing, and James K. Moffitt left this morning for a two days' jaunt in Contra Costa county.

Miss Kittie Lewis of Sacramento is visiting friends in town.

At the leap year cotillion of Mrs. J. M. Cunningham across the bay on Monday evening, the hostess was assisted in leading the German by Miss Houghton, formerly of this city.

Dan Belden gave a pretty Valentine dinner party Monday at the Belden home on Lake street.

John Henry Masterson of Alameda gave a theater party at the Oakland last evening to several of his lady friends.

The Kappa Alpha Theta Society of Berkeley entertained the faculty at a tea last Saturday.

Mrs. Greenhood gave an engagement reception to Miss Mellia Frank and Alex Baum at her home on Fourteenth street last Sunday. After the reception, which lasted from 1 to 6, a banquet was served. Miss Frank will be at home next Wednesday.

Miss Carrie Drum entertained a small party of friends last Monday at her home on Market street.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Marshall entertained the Pacific Coast Woman's Press Club, Thursday, at their home on Knox avenue.

The engagement is announced of Miss Amelia Schultz, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Schultz and John P. Maxwell of the firm of C. L. Maxwell & Son.

William L. Mitchner and Miss Florence M. St John, both of this city, were married at the home of the bride's parents in Healdsburg Wednesday.

The Oakland Society Dancing Club gave a ball in College Hall Wednesday. Frank Gunn acted as floor manager. On the 29th the club will move to Military Hall.

What $1 will do, see Laymance's advertisement in this paper.

A few of those 22x27 Portrait Frames still left, at $1.25, $1.50 and $1.75. Won't last much longer, though. Chas. B Wells, 1110 Broadway.

A New Trial Wanted.

Notice of a motion for a new trial in the Wettstein case has been filed in the Superior Court by Attorneys Moore and Martin for the Southern Pacific Company. They allege the verdict was excessive, not warranted by the evidence and given under the influence of passion and prejudice.

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SOCIETY NEWS

A Shadow of Silence Settling as a Result of Lent.

HOW THE SEASON ENDED.

Receptions, Dances and Quite a Number of House Parties.

GOSSIP OF THE SWELL SET.

"The Meddler" Reviews the Incidents of the Week.

As usual our brief little whirl of gaiety was succeeded by a dead calm. Did you ever know it to fail? It seems to me I never did. We are always in a state of unnatural inflation or complete collapse—just like a balloon—on the point of explosion, or wrinkled and pulpy, exhaling our life breath in puffy little gasps. This has been the flabby week—the week of the lean ears. Lent has begun in quiet, gray calm magnificence, and we are all disconsolate in consequence. But some of us will take a deal of beauty sleep during these forty days and forty nights, and in consequence some cheeks that have began to pale will blossom again like the rose. Not that Myra's ever got pale. Oh no. But some of the rest of us were not born so fortunately.

There has been little going on. Belle Mhoon was at pretty blonde Helen Ross' dainty jonquil and violet luncheon at the University Club on Monday. She was the only Oaklander so favored. And we girls all love to lunch at the Varsity.

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An announcement in which we were all interested, although the parties were San Francisco people, was the engagement of Miss Mabel Love, who is pretty and charming and talented, musically, to Lieutenant Churchill, U. S. N. She was going on the stage, you know, but now will be a sailor's bride. You must remember her well in that charming pantomime performance of the Mistletoe Bow at the California Theatre not long ago, wherein Harry Melvin took part. The date of the marriage is not yet announced.

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Our girls were in a furore musically—quite without the tenor of their usual way. They have been attending the Symphony concerts with the ardor of devotees, and Monday night a great many Oaklanders, in which the McNear set was prominent, crossed the bay to attend the Saturday morning orchestra concert.

Most of the Oakland girls who used to play in the orchestra have withdrawn, most of them, it is true, in the event of marriage, but we have not forgotten that the charming aggregation of beauty and melody was born in the Tucker home, when the place was bright with a quintet of girls, and before the bees went a-swarming, each to occupy a hive of their own. And so we Oaklanders are always very much interested. The girls did charming ensemble work, and played with considerable dash and spirit. In looks they were immensely decorative.

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Then Paderewski is still a joy forever. The Oakland people have fallen off in attendance, except the musical enthusiasts. Mrs. Blanche Ashleigh has attended every recital. On Wednesday Mrs. Beatrice Priest Fine was there, and the Hush girls, with Mrs. Tom and Mrs. Will Magee had a box. They looked charming, of course, especially Mrs. Will, in a very becoming cape of blue and green mirolr velvet.

Of course, the recital to-night will be a magnificent success, financially, artistically and socially. Many have been the dollars saved for it, and the fact that it is a holiday will enlarge the crowd. The men are so intensely restless—pacing like lions in search of amusement—on holidays. To tell the truth, Paderewski does not amuse all men (except the musical ones, of course) as he charms and enchants all women. There is in his fibre that delicacy and refinement that appeals most to women, and his playing—passionate, emotional, tender, appealing—strikes to their responsive souls.

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Mrs. Anna Cox Stephens will deliver a parlor lecture at the home of Mrs. Frank J. Moffitt, Friday, Feb. 28th, at 7:30 p. m. The subject of the lecture will be the Epic Poem "of Finland," "Kalevala." Mrs. Stephens is the only person who has ever translated this poem. She is a great authority on Norse mythology. Her husband was Gen. Stephens, who fought with the late Gen. Custer. Admission to the lecture will be 50 cents.

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It has been rather gay in Berkeley these later days. The Lenten solemnity there will be dense, I do not doubt. They are ardent churchwomen, the Berkeleyites, and the men? Oh, they are men.

Professor and Mrs. Charles Mills Gayley gave a Valentine party on the Friday evening we so joyfully and cheerfully devote to the patron of lovers—when boys prowl with jack o'lanterns parodying the sweet old theme, and when maids hug tender sentiments to their hearts. There were forty-five of the elect of Berkeley society at this Valentine celebration. They were mostly married—almost everybody in Berkeley is married—but they chose valentines all the same, and all was as loving as nesting birds. Everybody received a valentine as he or she entered. Then they exchanged, each lady reading aloud the tender sentiments in her cavalier's card, and he performing the same pleasing service for her. It was very jolly. The decorations were hearts and cupids and bows, as were the ices. The novelty of the idea was very taking. The Gayleys live in a house as like Shakespeare's in Stratford-on-Avon as possible. It is in North Berkeley in a scholastic environment, and the very eaves drip poetically. The Gayleys are very charming people and go out a great deal. Among their guests were the Kelloggs, the Bacons, the Suttons, the Boones, the Spears, and all the other best-known Berkeley families.

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On Monday Miss Spear gave a very large tea in honor of Mrs. Perrien. There were a great many there and the tea was pleasant.

On Tuesday Miss Head gave a sort of Mardi Gras tea. There were 150 guests, and all sorts of maids, from old ones to gush ones, who passed the infinitisimal slices of cake, and brewed the mild beverage women are supposed to dote on.

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Mrs. Wheaton had her second at home on Tuesday, and again 200 guests responded and wished her a pleasant good day. Mrs. Adams and Miss Sterrett again assisted the blooming hostess and lightened her duties.

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One of the most charming events of the week was the luncheon given to Mrs. Requa by Mrs. H. M. A. Miller, who is a sort of cousin to her. There were fourteen guests, all of them Mrs. Requa's close friends. She has been much entertained since her marriage and will shortly begin to repay their favors. What form the entertainment will take is not yet decided. It may take the form of a series of luncheons or dinners or even a ball. I do not know. At Mrs. Miller's were Miss Edith Lilliencranz, Miss Luita Booth, Miss Miller, Miss Tucker, Miss Ethel Moore, Miss Mhoon, Miss Herrick and others.

There was a very pretty wedding at 272 Eighteenth street this week when Miss Blackburn was married to Mr. Stetson of Portland. They have gone to Oregon, their future home.

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On Wednesday Mrs. Grayson gave a second luncheon and rivalled the success of the violet function held two weeks ago. There were fourteen guests and a dainty and varied menu—somewhat more elaborate than the usual luncheon spread. I believe elderly ladies are better gourmands than young ones—they appreciate the niceties of cookery more than the delicacies of service.

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Mrs. Henshaw's dinner was a charming affair.

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Last Sunday evening there was a charming engagement party to celebrate the contract between Miss Millie Frank and Mr. Baum at the home of Miss Frank's sister, Mrs. Sol Greenwood. The engaged couple were assisted in receiving by the Misses Greenhood. The engaged couple were as as always these big Hebrew affairs. There were a great many San Franciscans present.

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On Monday evening Miss Minnie O'Neil gave a dancing party at her home in San Francisco. There were more Oakland people there than San Franciscans. Miss O'Neil was assisted in receiving by Miss Mamie Pope and Miss Blix Smith of East Oakland. Among the guests were numbered Mrs. John Albright, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Albright, J. J. Baumgartner, Miss Dora Goodsell, Miss Goodsell, Miss Edith Middleton, Miss Mabel Craft and Miss Dorety.

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On Thursday evening Miss Emma Sickels Marshall entertained the members of the Pacific Coast Women's Press Association at an informal reception at her new home near Telegraph Avenue. There were 115 guests, and a very interesting musical programme was presented early in the evening. Miss Susie Hobart, recited. Among the guests were Col. and Mrs. Dickinson, Mrs. Ada C. Van Pelt and many others.

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There was but a sprinkling of Oaklanders among the Mardi Gras revellers at the Hopkins mansion last Tuesday night. They were not nearly as many as I expected. Can it be, I wonder, that we do not care for gaiety in its cardinal form or is it—perish the thought—that we cannot raise the necessary $10 apiece? Kate Clement, the Houghtons, whom we no longer own, and the Tom Magees were almost our only representatives among that vast throng. It was a beautiful pageant. No description of it is left for me. But I can tell you, the sight of it well repaid the time and money. Some of the costumes were brilliant, effective and novel. The girls were masked and consequently brave. One rover had the jolliest time. She came alone, danced with whomsoever she chose, for she was light of foot and heart. Men lavished champagne upon her and lo, at the strike of the hour when the masks fell, she vanished, uttering an assumed name tauntingly over her shoulder—vanished like Cinderella, and no man knows whence. Mrs. Joe Tobin was the most exquisitely gowned of the women. She was La Tosca in pink, with a pink and white picture hat, nodding with plumes like dahlias in a garden, and a great bunch of St. Joseph's lilies fastened to the end of her directoire stick. She looked a picture.

There were several Oaklanders at Mrs. Clark Crocker's living pictures Thursday.

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Tonight the 6:30 club (men only, of course) hold their fifth anniversary dinner. That means sixty good dinners. The club used to patronise the Maison Doree. Now they are favoring the Poodle Dog.

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On Friday evening last the Friday Night club gave a Valentine Leap Year party. The first set in the cotillon was composed of the following: Miss Werner and Mr. Anthony, who led Miss Mayhew and Mr. Hardy, Miss Nicholson and Mr. Cox, Miss Brelling and R. Russ, Miss Schultz and F. Russ, Miss Campbell and Mr. Bowen, Miss Schuphan and Mr. Moore, Miss Morris and Mr. Redington, Miss Smith and Mr. Jackson, Miss Prather and W. Moore. The other dancers were Miss Fairchild and Mr. Wilkin, Miss Craig and Mr. Yates, Miss Otey and Mr. Robbins, Miss Wallace and Mr. Curtis, Miss Putnam and Mr. Wilcox, Miss Gemmel and Mr. Eaton, Miss Higby and Mr. Catton, Miss L. Rued and Mr. Holmes, Miss Reed and Mr. Oliver, Miss Dowdle and Mr. Dean, Miss Donnelly and Mr. Dawson, Miss Hayes and Mr. Brown, Miss Underwood and Mr. Wadleigh.

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Mr. and Mrs. Howard Gray are out of town on a fortnight's trip. They will return the middle of next week. M. May, Mr. and Mrs. Bray will drive to the Yosemite. They will be accompanied by Miss Blix Smith.

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Philip Bradbury and Miss Mayne Smith were married last Sundty evening at the residence of the bride's relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Rooch, 865 Eighteenth street. The guests were all intimate friends, among them Mrs. L. B. Ayres, Mr. and Mrs. Roach, Mrs. J. F. Creamer and daughter, Edward Smith, Mrs. Grace Mestayer, Frank Houpt, Miss Gladys Hound, Mr. and the Misses Campbell, Andrew Campbell and wife, Lieutenant Kennedy and brother, the latter acting as best man, and Miss Emma King of Sacramento, the bridesmaid.

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The Misses Gallindo of Telegraph avenue gave a perfectly delightful barn party on Valentine's night. The guests were received in the house, but at 9 dancing begun in the barn. It was a charming night for dancing. Among the guests were: Miss Doyle, Miss White, Miss McDevitt, Miss Dozier, Miss Galindo, Miss Pressley, Miss Cushing, Miss Benner, Miss Dibert, Miss Connelly, Miss Riordan, Miss Barr, Miss McNamara, Mrs. Crafts, Mrs. Brouillet, Mrs. Peralta, Mrs. Galindo, Dr. Milton, Dr. Taylor, Messrs. White, Crafts, Squires, Reeve, Anderson, Parks, Dibert, Dozier, Taylor, De Garmo, Mather, Miller, Baker, Bledsoe, Gallindo, Brouillet, McElroy, Enright, and Arrigallia.

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Miss Daisy Belle Sharpe, the pretty girl who acted with Charity Company this time, was given a testimonial at Y. M. C. A. hall, San Francisco, last Monday evening. She is going on the stage, you know, and will not be here again for a great while, as she goes East to accept an engagement. She has considerable histrionic talent and a very pretty face. She was assisted by Mabel Love, the Reliance Glee Club, Frank Coffin, Frank Belcher and the Treble Clef Quartette. Mr. Tilton did the accompaniments. Among the audience were many Oakland people, prominent among them the two Reliance men who sent her three exquisite shower bouquets of violets on the occasion of her appearance at the Macdonough, and almost came to blows, according to the old rules, to see which should see her after the performance.

Mrs. C. P. Kennedy entertained the Thursday Evening Euchre Club at her home, 853 Jackson street, last week. Fifteen games were played, followed by refreshments. The members present were: Miss M. Campbell, Miss L. Clough, Miss Grace Campbell, Miss J. Callahan, Miss E. Monnet, Miss N. Higby, Miss B. Callahan, Miss A. Lefevre, Miss Lizzie Tillson, Mrs. C. P. Kennedy, J. Jellett, T. W. Brooks, W. E. Griffith, C. S. Myrick, B. Dusinbury, C. Lefevre, Frank Buckley, H. Lefevre, D. Cornell.

Miss Campbell and Chester Myrick won the first prizes.

And now my little song must come to an end, dear Tribune. It is Washington's Birthday and there are bicycle races and a day-out-of-doors in prospect. Isn't it the prettiest weather for February? A cheerful good day from

THE MEDDLER.

A DANCING PARTY.

Miss Horton gave a dancing party last night to her elder pupils and their friends in the lecture-room of the school, corner Twelfth and Filbert streets. The room was appropriately decorated with flags and national colors. It was the first of a contemplated series of dances to be given at the school. Frank Fletcher acted as manager.

Among those present, besides the students, were: Misses Francis Irish, Nellie Humphreys, Sadie Whitney, Grace Gorill, Helen Garthwaite, Sadie Hale, Viva Nicholson, Gertrude Allen, Ione Fore, Hattie Kittredge, Anita Wightman, Katherine Craven, Edith Simpson, Annie Pratt, Alice Webb, Gladys Clement, Bessie Eby, Gertrude Snow, May Coogan, Mary Henshaw, Elma Farnham and Wyntie Brodt, Messrs. Herbert Kellogg, Wallace Alexander, Clarence Cook, Graham Laws, Ralph Bender, Homer Parker, Roland Oliver, Ed Oliver, Allen Chickering, Harry Chickering, Tom Olney, Will Olney, Ed Newell, Harold Harvey, Walter Starr, Louie Simpson, Edgar Simpson, Arthur Tasheira, John Irish Jr., Orville Pratt, Rishworth Nicholson, Howard Baxter, Ben Reed, Sylva Farnham, Eugene Farnham, Howard Byxbee, Howard Hus, Frank Hus, J. Earle, Russell Whitney and Harry Knox.

The musical comedy, "Open Session of the Influential Order of Chocolate Bonbons," given by the ladies of the Alameda Unity Circle Tuesday evening, was a grand success and quite an attraction. It was given in Linderman's Opera House. Those taking part were dressed to represent bon-bons, as were also the ushers. Among the participants were: Miss Byler, Miss Henn, Miss Lunt, Mrs. Holt, Mrs. Davis and Miss McCurrie.

The ladies of the Y. M. C. A. held their annual reception in the parlors of the association building, 1421 Franklin street, last Tuesday afternoon. It was an enjoyable affair and well attended, many friends of the organization being present. The parlors were prettily decorated in greens and flowers by the young ladies. Care and taste were displayed and the large rooms looked very attractive.

During the afternoon an informal programme was rendered, to the enjoyment of those present. Addresses were also made.

Rev. James Curry opened the meeting with a prayer and Bible reading.

Dr. Kummer made a few remarks, contrasting the position of the woman of to-day with that of the woman of years ago.

Mrs. P. D. Browne spoke of the Christian element in woman's work. Other addresses were made by Rev. Robert Ritchie, Mrs. Mills of Mills Seminary, Mrs. Van Kirk and Mrs. Chamberlain. Miss Irene Rutherford gave a piano solo and Miss Mabel Taylor and Miss Leckie played the guitar. Miss Florence Sharon sang sweetly "Good Bye, Sweet Day," and was accompanied by Miss Fore on the piano. Mrs. Hollock of Tacoma sang "He Loves Me" and the "Holy City." Mrs. Carlton sang two solos, as did also Miss Rutherford.

Conversation followed, during which tea and light refreshments were served. Among those present were noticed: Mrs. W. I. Reed, Mrs. David Rutherford, Mrs. C. Sadler, Mrs. J. J. Scotchler, Mrs. E. C. Selfridge, Mrs. W. E. Sharon, Mrs. N. A. Salter, Mrs. J. H. Thomas, Mrs. R. B. Thompson, J. J. Valentine, Dr. H. P. Van Kirk, Mrs. I. M. Johnson, J. A. Joyce, Mrs. Kales, Mrs. J. C. Kimball, Mrs. P. D. Browne, Mrs. S. G. Chamberlain, Mrs. A. Dow, Mrs. H. C. Mygatt, Mrs. H. G. Noyes, Mrs. J. M. Merrell, Mrs. Willim Kirk, Mrs. E. Wolfenden, Mrs. W. A. Jacobs, Mrs. Anson Barstow, Mrs. Gilbert L. Curtis, Mrs. D. W. C. Gaskill, Mrs. W. H. H. Graves, Mrs. George D. Gray, Mrs. J. P. Ames, Mrs. M. E. Larkey, Mrs. W. F. Lewis, Mrs. George Miller, Mrs. C. T. Mills, Mrs. T. W. Coogan, Mrs. F. A. Bashford, Mrs. M. K. Blake, Mrs. Albert Brown, Mrs. E. G. Buswell, Mrs. H. C. Capwell, Mrs. D. Carrick, Mrs. W. A. Childs, Mrs. S. Olisby, Mrs. Gilbert L. Curtis, Mrs. Thomas Crellin, Mrs. R. F. Coyle, Mrs. A. Dow, Mrs. J. A. Folger, Mrs. S. T. Alexander, Miss M. R. Babson, Miss Minnie Bailey, Mrs. W. H. Bailey, Mrs. M. Addie Fenner, Mrs. William Gregory, Mr. J. M. Halstead, Mrs. A. C. Henry, Mrs. E. Hutchinson, Mrs. Pliny Bartlett, Mrs. M. S. Billings, Mrs. W. A. Merriam, Miss Emily Raymond, Mrs. J. W. Beck, Mrs. George D. Gray, Mrs. Charles W. Fore, Mrs. M. P. Morris, Mrs. P. G. Buchanan, Mrs. Standeford, Mrs. William McGill, Mrs. E. E. Page, Miss E. M. Yorker, Mrs. W. A. Childs, Mrs. T. Crellin, Mrs. Stone, Mrs. O. C. Wheeler and Mrs. T. L. Horn.

THE MILLER LUNCHEON.

Mrs. H. M. A. Miller gave one of the prettiest luncheons of the season last Tuesday, complimentary to Mrs. Mark Requa. It was what might be called a reunion of the Requa-Herrick wedding, the guests being of that pretty bridal party. They wore their pink bridesmaids dresses and large pink hats. The table was decorated with large sprays of apple blossoms. After the luncheon the guests adjourned in a body, each taking a sprig of apple blossoms, to Mrs. Wheaton's.

Among those invited to meet Mrs. Requa were: Miss Luita Booth, Miss Ethel Moore, Miss Nina Pringle, Miss Annie Herrick, Miss Evelyn Shepard, Miss Janet Watt, Miss Floy Brown, Mrs. Tom Magee.

THE WHEATON "AT HOME."

Mrs. Geo. Wheaton entertained a large number of friends at a tea at her home on Lake street Tuesday. The large house was beautifully decorated with wild flowers, the first eschscholtzias of the season making the house look warm and cheerful. The sunlight was not debarred but poured in at the windows.

The guests became so numerous that many sought the cool veranda and pleasure grounds. This emergency had been provided for. The porch was decked with flowers and kept cool by an awning.

Mrs. Wheaton made a charming hostess, as she always does. She was assisted by Mrs. Edson Adams and Miss Ella Sterrett. Besides these Mrs. Wheaton invited a few friends to spend the afternoon and help her entertain. Among these were Mrs. W. G. Henshaw, Miss Nellie Chabot, Miss Amy McKee, Mrs. Capt Currier, Mrs. Milton Bulkeley, Mrs. J. E. McElrath, Miss Elsie McElrath, Mrs. J. H. Watkinson, Mrs. Robert Watt, Miss Janet Watt, Mrs. Victor Metcalf, Miss Allie Grimes, Mrs. Al. Havens, Miss Havens, Miss Beatrice Steele, Miss Elsie Bennett.

LINCOLN STUDENTS DEBATE.

The pupils of the A ninth grade of the Lincoln school, held an interesting debate last Monday in the school room.

The subject was: "Resolved, That the United States should not acquire any more territory." The way the subject was handled reflects great credit on the debaters and Miss Morgan, their teacher.

Miss Bessie Reed led for the affirmative, her assistants being Miss Marion Barney, Miss H. Bassett, E. Bendel, C. Lancaster, Miss Stella Hansen, and Victor Metcalf. The negative side was upheld by Ralph Street, leader, M. Samuels, Oliver Smith, Mary Cadagan, B. Garfield and Frank Graham. The critics were Miss Ella Fern and Clarke Sullivan.

Misses Doevling and Helen Gay and S. Sol, who acted as judges, decided in favor of the affirmative.

Frank Graham presented a pretty to the class.

SIMPSON—BLACKBURN.

The wedding of J. L. Simpson of Portland and Miss Mary Gertrude Blackburn took place at the home of the bride's parents, 272 Thirteenth street, last Monday evening at 8 o'clock. It was a violet wedding, the idea being carried out in detail. The dining-room was a mass of purple fragrance. A large bowl of violets formed the center piece of the table, while smaller bouquets and loose flowers were prettily arrayed about the table and room. The parlor was in green and yellow, acacia being used to artistic effect. The bay-window was banked with greens, and from the arch, suspended by white satin ribbon, was a bunch of tea roses. Under this Dr. Locke, pastor of the First M. E. Church of Portland, performed the ceremony, which made the happy couple one.

The bride looked beautiful in a gown of silver-gray crepe de chine over white sateen. She wore real orange blossoms, and in her hand carried a bunch of violets.

Miss Ruth Sarginson of Portland acted as maid of honor and A. Bowers of San Francisco as best man.

After the wedding the guests repaired to the dining-room, where supper was served.

Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Blackburn, J. W. Blackburn, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Thompson, of Portland, Mr. and Mrs. Weber, Mr. McCloud of Forest Grove, Miss Lilie Cable, Miss Birdie Cable, Miss Belle Allen, C. Barnes of Portland, Miss Gertie Mansfield, Charles Dirvan, George Furness, W. Jenkins and Mrs. John Sarginson.

The young couple met in Portland, where the bride has resided for some time. They came to Oakland that she might be married at home. They left Tuesday for Portland, where they will make their residence.

THE EMLAY TIN WEDDING.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Emlay celebrated their tin wedding Thursday at their home, 523 Thirty-sixth street. It was, indeed, a tin wedding, the presents of that metal being numerous and unique. The most comical was a large spoon about four feet in length and large in proportion. This, as other jokes, was received with good humor by Mr. and Mrs. Emlay, and the evening was most enjoyably spent. The couple received many congratulations and best wishes.

During the evening a delicious supper was served. Toasts and speeches were the order. After supper, dancing was resumed till a late hour.

Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ruedy, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Emlay, Mr. and Mrs. William Sohst,

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The Newspaper Sermon Association Makes a Worthy Move.

Editor Tribune—Sir: Through the courtesy extended us by the publication of our sermon contributed in your Monday columns, we are encouraged to ask your co-operation in the following plan to the extent of giving it the publicity of your columns.

We wish to provide an easy means by which the people in the far off and isolated West and South, and along the lines of the lighthouse and signal service stations on the Atlantic coast, may secure current literature after it has been read and laid aside, and to see if we can get your readers to aid us in this little philanthropic movement.

The reading world is divided into two classes—those who have access to more literature than they can well assimilate, and those who are starving for good reading. The rapid development of the newspaper and magazine, and the cheapening of the cost of their production has brought an overflux of reading matter to those of us within easy communication of the great cities, and it is hard for us to understand that there is a class of people in our undeveloped West and South whose lives are as barren of the influence of literature as in the days when the magazines of the country could be numbered on our fingers, and the Sunday newspaper was only a possibility. Many of these people do not see a magazine once a year; they are hardly able to provide the necessities of life, much less those which they call luxuries.

A careful study convinces us that there are over a million fairly well-educated people in this country, often parents of growing families, who are completely out of touch with the thought of the day, simply because they are unable to buy or borrow in any way the current papers and magazines which come to us in such profusion. We know of one family in Oklahoma, fifty miles from a railroad, which receives one of the cheap magazines at the hands of a kindly New England woman. They all read it and every neighbor within ten miles, (six families in all) regularly takes a turn at its columns. The woman to whom this magazine is sent is educated, and her letters, could we reproduce them here, would make this one more story.

We have hundreds of such homes in lighthouses, signal service stations, among pioneers in the far West, in the piney woods of North Carolina, the bayous of Louisiana and Mississippi; and yet the average American home in the Middle and New England States is overflowing with the accumulation of daily, weekly and monthly periodicals. One may talk of the influence of a religion in the development of a people, but the influence of good reading, of the educative process, is of but little less importance, and here at our hand is an opportunity for much of this sort of usefulness.

The Newspaper Sermon Association wishes the names of all persons who will give us their co-operation in the following manner, viz. To agree to send to some one or more if you wish—of these faroff places, for one year, a periodical of some character—Sunday paper, magazine or weekly to the name and address of a worthy individual, which will be furnished them by this association. Great care will be made in the selection of names, and all persons sending periodicals will receive a letter from the recipient of their kindness acknowledging the same.

Now, though this may seem to you a small philanthropy, do not let that idea of it tempt you to leave it to your neighbor. You do not know how many lives you may touch and how much you will brighten them; people who are cut off from so many of the privileges of civilization, whose lives are cast in dark and pathetic places.

It is the hope of the Newspaper Sermon Association to present plans of this sort occasionally, believing that the world is full of men and women who are anxious to give something of themselves to others when the opportunity comes to them in a simple and practical manner. May we have your help? All letters or postal cards will be courteously acknowledged, and every effort will be made to make this a pleasure to you and a benefit to the participants of your benefactions.

Periodical Department, Newspaper Sermon Association, 13 School street, Boston, Mass.

LITERARY NOTES.

The edition of the works of Bishop Butler, upon which Mr. Gladstone has for some time been engaged, will be published during the spring by the Clarendon Press.

In these days of international irritation, it is a satisfaction to learn just what the "British Opinion of America" really is. Richard Whiteing of the London Daily News, a very well-known English journalist, in an article on this subject in the March Scribner, directs attention not to the opinion of the social and political leaders, but to the "Man of the Street," and to the great mass of working people throughout England. They have revised their idea of America in the past twenty or thirty years and no longer regard the country as a Mecca for the laboring man. They see that there are industrial and social problems here as well as in England. But, what is most important in view of the recent Venezuelan debate is that "the non-conformist conscience is for peace with America, as the first of human concerns." The article closes with a reference to the Transvaal affair. Mr. Whiteing comes to his task of voicing the average Englishman's views, unusually well-qualified to judge both of them and their application having had, besides his observation at home, an extensive experience as a special correspondent abroad.

The February number of the little wonders among magazines, Romance, is worth looking at. It is a veritable treasury of art, with page after page of photographs and stories, making a truly remarkable combination, for the very low price which it costs. The sale of the first number reached 100,000 copies, and was completely exhausted by the 10th of January.

General Greely's article in March Ladies' Home Journal upon "The Personal Side of Washington" will show that Washington was largely influenced by his environments, but also that he steadily tended toward the higher standards of the present age, especially as regards his habits and ideals. Of the first election in which he actively participated, General Greely writes: "In his younger days Washington extended at his first election the usual post-election hospitality, which, in those days, consisted of the minimum amount of food with the maximum amount of spirits. We find him paying an account for such an entertainment for some 400 voters, where the account was 3 shillings for food and 37 for liquors. The capacity of the average drinker may, perhaps, be placed at three quarts at a sitting, as derived from this account, which covered one hogshead of punch, one barrel of punch, forty gallons of punch, nine bowls of punch, forty-five gallons of wine and forty-seven gallons of beer. Washington, who was not present, expressed his surprise at their moderation and wrote his agent that he feared he had not been liberal enough, and expressed the hope that he had not neglected those who had voted in the opposition."

"Stanhope of Chester" is the title of a very readable novel just issued from the library of Rand, McNally & Co. of Chicago. It is a tale of the times and deals with characters in real life, thus making its charm the more potent. There is nothing silly about it; on the contrary it is a careful reflection of humanity. (50 cents, Rand & McNally).

A new and thoroughly revised edition of "The Woman's Manual of Parliamentary Law" has just been issued. This manual, although intended for all students is especially prepared for the use of women in their clubs, unions, or any organizations where it is important to conduct meetings properly. Parliamentary principles and rules are given, the reason why certain things are done are explained and (which is still more essential) these are supplemented by practical illustrations in dialogue form, which make so clear the points presented that the most inexperienced person cannot fail to understand them. The book is made as elementary and simple as possible, containing all the minute details of presiding, of debating, of making motions, of voting, etc., while at the same time it omits nothing which is essential to a knowledge of the principles, rules and practice of parliamentary law. The thousands of women who are organizing clubs, conducting unions, relief corps, etc., will find this little book to be just what they want. It will help them to become active participants in the many meetings which now they too often attend as listeners only. (Lee & Shepard, Boston. Price 75 cents.)

The villas in the neighborhood of Florence have been famous for centuries, but there is no adequate hand-book describing them. Lee Bacon has written a popular account of them for Scribner's March issue, and the article will be very richly illustrated.

Opie Read is known as the Gay Maupassant of short-story writers for the South. While his stories lack the artistic literary finish of that prince of writers they contain all his masterful art of surprise and fascination. A collection of his brightest gems is now to be had for twenty-five cents from the publisher, F. Tennyson Neely, under the title of the Captain's Romance. Many of Mr. Read's brightest sketches have become immortal, waifs, several being included in Spofford's American Authors, and there marked anonymous.

Mrs. Deland's remarkable marriage novel now appears in a popular form in the Riverside Paper Series. In honor of the distinguished guest, a new style of cover has been used, an agreeable tint of yellow, with the lettering distinct and artistically simple. In this engaging form "Philip and his Wife," which belongs in the highest rank for vigor of thought and charm of style, ought to gain a multitude of new readers. It surely merits a far wider reading than it has yet secured, although it has been one of the most successful American novels since Mrs. Deland's first famous story, "John Ward, Preacher," appeared. (Price 50 cents, Houghton, Mifflin Co., Boston.

Julian Hawthorne needs no introduction. He is one of the most fascinating writers in the world and one of the best proofs of his ability is the fact that he was recently awarded the first prize of $10,000 offered by the New York Herald for the best original story. His style is irresistible and once started any work of his is eagerly perused until the end is reached. Two of his best and latest efforts have just been placed on the market in one volume. They are "Kildhurm's Oak" and "A Strange Friend," and lovers of romance will do well to obtain the book. (Street & Smith, New York; price 50 cents.)

Very few people realize how popular a flower the carnation has become. The consumption each winter in New York exceeds fifteen millions of cut flowers. The culture of carnations will be explained in Scribner's Magazine for March by J. H. Connelly. The illustrations are to be printed in color.

The Clarendon Press is about to issue a collection of the traditional hymns of the ancient Gaelic church in Scotland, by Mr. Alexander Carmichael of Edinburgh. Mr. Carmichael, who is in the Excise, is a very learned Celt, with an extensive acquaintance with the old customs of the Western Isles.

The Chicago Open Court (No. 441) published the first half-tone reproduction of Rontgen's work in this country. The current number (442) offers material of equal interest. Through Mr. Bonney, President of the World's Fair Congresses, the editors have obtained translations of all the letters written by the most prominent Catholic prelates and divines of France to Abbe Charbonnel regarding the advisability of holding a second Religious Parliament in Paris in 1900.

A story of adventure, rich in description, vivid in romance and entertaining in every little detail. Such is a concise summing up of "The Sea Wolves" by Max Pemberton, which has just made its appearance in the literary markets. There has been gathered together from the field of historical romance material such as will delight the lover of an exciting story and the episodes of Spanish turmoil are full of life and action. To a boy the work will be more than acceptable. (50 cents, Rand, McNally & Co., Chicago.)

When "The Duhess" writes a book there is a large percentage of people want to read it, for every lover of a romance knows that it will be good. In "A Point of Conscience," a story of fashionable life is told. It is the usual holding up of the mirror of polite society, but it is done in such an admirable way that the frivolities and glitter of that element of existence take on a new interest. The scene is London and the nobility, of course, play a prominent part. (Cloth $1, J. B. Lippincott Co., Philadelphia.)

A second series of Irish Idylls has been coined by Jane Barlow and the deserved success that attended the other similar work from her pen will undoubtedly be repeated, for a more charming set of sketches of Irish life cannot be imagined. They reproduce the manliness and tenderness of the Irish race together with the wit and peculiarities of the little Emerald Isle. The titles of a few of the idylls give a general idea of the nature of the book. They are "Jerry Dunne's Basket," "Mrs. Killoyle's Cloak," "A Journey," "Con the Quare One," "Mr. Polymathers" and "Mad Bell." (Well bound, $1.25; Dodd, Mead & Co., New York.)

Godey's Magazine for March is filled with matter that is timely, beautiful and interesting. Perhaps the most absorbing are two biographical articles: one "The Life of Cecil Rhodes," and the other called "The Senorita of the Sword," being descriptive of Jaguarina, the Spanish-American swordswoman who has defeated the cracks of the United States and English armies, and who will represent America in the Olympic games this spring. The achievements of this woman have been little heralded, and many Americans will be glad to read of their remarkable champion. "A Winter on the Riviera" and "Lumbering in the Adirondacks" are seasonable; and the features appealing especially to women are "Club Houses for Women," Miss Mary A. Proctor's experience as an astronomer and lecturer, and the "Fashion Department."

With the March issue the Atlantic Monthly begins two important series of papers. The Irish in American Life, by H. C. Merwin, is the first of the promised articles on Race Characteristics in American Life. Under the general heading, the Case of the Public School the Atlantic will discuss the payment and standing of teachers throughout the country. Over ten thousand teachers have been requested to contribute information as the basis of these papers. The first, The Witness of the Teacher, by G. Stanley Hall, President of Clark University, Worcester, Mass., appears in this issue.

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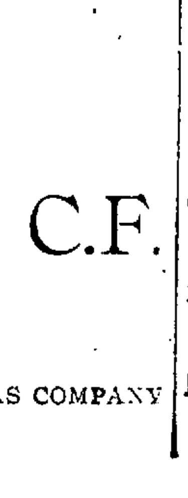

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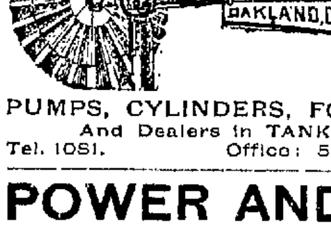

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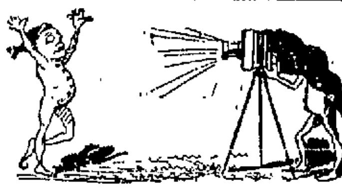

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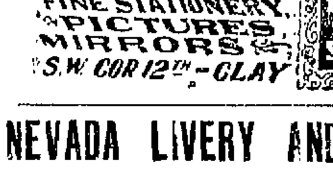

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TOLD A TALE OF TRUTH.

Julius Abrahamson Gives a Discourse on Religious Enthusiasm.

The Subject Handled Logically and in an Impressive Manner.

At the synagogue of the First Hebrew Congregation last night, Julius Abrahamson, the energetic and capable President of the society, delivered an interesting lecture before a large and appreciative audience. To the varied talents which Mr. Abrahamson has displayed in his duties in connection with his present position regarding the synagogue with which he has been credited, must now be added those of lecturer, because his effort on the rostrum was a pronounced success.

The subject of the discourse was "Religious Enthusiasm."

"Enthusiasm," he said, "makes difficulties easy if it does not even deny their existence. If we were to go back to the root of the world we would find that it means 'possessed of God,' recalling the old belief that the divinity entered into the body of the individual, that it would move, making it a passive agent of its purpose. The old words still live, though the old beliefs have died or rather they have become modified into metaphors. Enthusiasm still has for us almost all its original sense and we still feel that the man enthused is the man God-possessed. The divinity is upon him and within him. It is impelling him, raising him above his ordinary self and ordinary capacities. So you can observe that genius is rarely discouraged for often the magnitude of the serious difficulties kindles a corresponding enthusiasm that comes with yet greater force by the impetus of resistence. When the Great Napoleon learned that large mountains were to bar his progress he said, 'There Are No Alps.' But one of his generals said, 'Impossible to cross.' 'Impossible,' he said, 'is a word known only in the dictionary of fools.'"

The lecturer then showed the distinction between enthusiasm and zeal and asserted that there is a glad ting in the voice of the man of enthusiasm and a harsh grating note in the voice of zeal. "The earnestness of a zealous man may often lead him to the bigotry of fanaticism, for it sows the same root as jealousy."

"The Hebrew has ever been an optimist. His heart was full of hope and even persecutions could never quite kill it. But the historian calls the life of the Jew of the middle ages 'A fifteen hundred years' tragedy' but strange to say, the Jew himself was blissfully unaware of it. The Jew never feared God. He trusted him too implicitly. He felt too near Him, too certain of His protection.

"The prophets of old were oftener zealous than they were enthusiastic. In that respect they differ from the so-called prophets of today. The prophets of today, called rabbis, are serene in whom divine enthusiasm and cheer bubbles forth as a perennial spring. They take the scoffer by the hand and many times also by the pocket and make him a worshipper. Furthermore, the minister is not only a rabbi, a teacher, but he is also a preacher. He points out the path of right by all the force of his eloquence and fervor, shows them the glory of duty and the horror of sin. This is the highest function as well as the hardest of the rabbi.

"Enthusiasm need not be demonstrative, but, if the gleam of faith enlightens the face so that it shines, and if the eyes, those windows of the soul, tell us with their calm and trustful look that all is well within then all is well indeed. All the struggles of life cannot move it from its confidence in God and God alone. Then we have enthusiasm in its purest and exalted form."

Mr. Abrahamson then made a fervid appeal to his hearers in behalf of the children of the Sabbath school.

Pointers From Piedmont.

PIEDMONT, Feb. 22.—The Boys' Bible class gave an entertainment at Oak Chapel last night.

The people of Piedmont are talking of having a morning worship. Sunday school will follow and the evening will be for the Christian Endeavor.

The Gas Company has laid its pipes as far as Laurel street.

Earle Mather is sick with rheumatism.

Fish City, which belongs to the State of Michigan, is a peculiar place with a watery flavor; has no existence in summer, but is a busy place in winter; is not built on land, yet has nothing to do with boats. The ice of Saginaw bay is used as a foundation for the city every winter and the town is occupied by men and their families, who catch, clean and pack whitefish and lake trout for the market. It is built in the same cove every winter, the houses being constructed of rough pine boards. It had a population of nearly 3000 in the winter of 1893-94 nearly twice that number last winter, and this season the population has taken another jump forward.

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SOCIETY NEWS.

(Continued from page 5.)

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Flese, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sohst, the Misses Bertha Reier, Lizzie Eggers, Clara Haelke, Kate Eggers, Sophie Sohst, Ada Mosch, Roselle Emlay, Aileen Emlay, Nellie Sohst, Julia Koch, Louise Emlay, Alice Sohst, Bertha Ruedy; Messrs. Louis Aitken, George Eggers, William Sohst Jr., Arthur Dibert, Joseph Bouquet, Henry Ruedy Jr., George Upton, Alphonse Brehm and Carl Sohst.

THE PRESBYTERIAN CONCERT.

The choir of the First Presbyterian church gave a concert last evening, which was a great success and was well attended.

The following programme was rendered:

Organ Solo, "Fanfare"....J. Lemmens
Miss V. DeFremery
Soprano Solo, "The Secret of the Lilies" ....G. F. Cobb
Mrs. Maude Berry Fisher.
Harp Solo, "Chimes of Sydney"....
.... Marquardt
Mme. Alexandra Breitchuck-Marquardt.
Contralto Solo, "Because I Love You" .... Chadwick
Mrs. Chas. Dickman
Organ solos—
(a) Pastorale opus 23..F de la Tombelle
(b) Toccata, from 5th organ symphony ....C. M. Widor
Miss V. DeFremery.
Part 2—A. R. Gaul's Holy City.
Chorus and Tenor Solo—"No Shadows Yonder."
Tenor Solo—"My Soul is Athirst for God."
Chorus—"They That Sow in Tears."
Contralto Solo—"Eye Hath Not Seen."
Chorus—"For Thee, Oh Dear, Dear Country."
Baritone Solo and Chorus—"A New Heaven and a New Earth."
Double Chorus—"Let the Heavens Rejoice."
Soprano Solo—"These Are They Which Come Out of Great Tribulation."
Chorus for Female Voces—"List, the Cherubic Host;" Baritone Solo—"I Heard the Voice of Harpers."
Chorus—"Great and Marvelous Are Thy Works."

The solos were sung by Mrs. M. B. Fisher, Mrs. Chas. Dickman, Mr. Thos. Rickard and Benj. Clark.

A VIOLET LUNCHEON.

The "violet luncheon" given by the Misses Alice and Della Tobriner at their residence, 766 Ninth street, Friday afternoon, was an enjoyable affair. The guests of honor were the five recently engaged young ladies, Miss Estelle Cohn, Miss Ermine Greenhood, Miss Melita Frank, Miss Della Craner of San Francisco and Miss Jennie Lachman of Reno, Nev. The spacious parlors were tastefully decorated with violets in great profusion. Misses Alice and Della Tobriner, gracefully assisted by Leah Harris, received. The costumes worn by the hostesses were violet. In the skillful game entitled "Heart and Arrow," Miss Rose Levy won the first prize, a very handsome present. The booby prize was captured by Miss Ray Landecker. Vocal selections were rendered by Miss Juliette Levy and Miss Ray Landecker.

Those present were: Misses Estelle Cohn, Ermine Greenhood, Melita Frank, Celia Abrahamson, Leah Harris, Emma Scheeline, Fannie Bernheim, Becky Phillips, Anna Hartman, Rose Leavy, Nettie and Belle Hirshberg, Lucy Peres, Lillie Cohen, Jennie Rosenberg, Della and Alice Tobriner; San Francisco, Misses Ray and Belle Landecker, Adele Tobriner, Juliette Levy, Della Craner, Rose Harris, Gertie Rosenfeld, Mrs. Mark Frank, Mrs. Bert Altmayer and Miss Jennie Lachman of Reno.

THE M'CORMICK BENEFIT.

Company A, Fifth Regiment, N. G. C., gave an entertainment and hop Thursday evening at Armory Hall. It was given for the benefit of J. B. McCormick, who has been ill for some time. McCormick's popularity was shown by the large attendance and a neat sum was raised in his behalf.

The following programme was rendered: "Fun in a Doctor Shop," members of Company A; violin solo, Llewen Hughes, quartette solo, Company A Quartette, recitation (selected), Miss Camille Kelley; trombone solo, John Laughland; Change Manual, Companies A and F; recitation, Raymon Whitaker; specialties, Winne McDonald; whistling solo, Miss Lillian Ida Garish; accompanied by Miss Edith Garish; recitation, George W. Calvert; specialties, Miss Jennie and Flossie Sawyer; double trapeze, F. B. Cooke, H. F. Kilborne, Acme Club; Silent Manual by Sergeant Dowane's squad, members of Company A.

At the conclusion of the musical and literary exercises dancing was indulged in.

UNLUCKY THIRTEEN.

The "unlucky thirteen" has proved false to its name again, by being once more in luck. This time the good fortune took the form of a four-in-hand drive through Golden Gate Park. The members of the club were the guests of one of their number, Miss Emma Mahoney. They went to San Francisco in a body last Friday, and after the drive stopped at Mrs. Austin's, where they were pleasantly entertained.

Among those who enjoyed the drive were: Miss Mary Whitney, Miss Carrie Ritter, Miss Ethel Kittredge, Miss Gail Converse, Miss Lilian Strong and Miss Marguerite Jolliffe.

SENIORS ENTERTAINED.

Miss Anna Head of Head's Seminary, Berkeley, gave a pleasant tea at the school Tuesday, to the seniors and alumni. The large house was beautifully decorated with flowers and wild ferns and greens. A sumptuous dinner was served, over which the young ladies made merry.

Last Saturday the middles entertained the seniors, by giving a ball in their honor.

THE DEXTER CONCERT.

Mrs. Carrie Brown Dexter will give a concert next week on the 28th. The ushers have been chosen from Mrs. Dexter's girl friends and are Misses Edith L. Larkey, Eunice Holmes, Annie Reed, Ella Brown and Georgie Cope. Among those who are taking very active interest in advancing the interests of the concert are Madame Wendte, Mrs. John Russ, Mrs. E. M. Hall, Mrs. E. A. Kluegel, Mrs. W. G. Henshaw, Mrs. Wm. Morris, Mrs. S. P. Hall, Mrs. Chas. D. Pierce, Mrs. Hayward G. Thomas, Miss Abbie L. Grant, Mrs. Dr. Lilieneranz, Mrs. B. F. Dunham, Rev. C. W. Wendte.

A CHINA WEDDING.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert B. Daniels celebrated their China wedding Thursday evening. A score or more friends gathered at the Daniels home in Piedmont to do honor to the occasion. Among them were Mr. and Mrs. Albert Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Z. T. Gilpin, Mr. and Mrs. George Patterson, Mr. Henry Dalton, Mrs. Ada Hughes, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Craig, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Wilkins, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Boynton, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Kercheral, Mr. and Mrs. D. Rutherford, Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Clark, Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Loring, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Smith, Mr and Mrs. George Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Webb N. Pearce, Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Button and Miss Alice Swasey.

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A DONATION PARTY.

The Ladies' Relief Society of West Oakland gave a Donation party last Monday evening at Fraternity Hall, corner Seventh and Peralta streets. The following programme was admirably rendered:

Instrumental duet.............................
Misses M. Kavanaugh and S. Flanagan.
Opening address.............................
Rev. J. B. McNally.
Tenor solo.............................
Mr. James B. Lane.
Specialties.............................
Mr. H. Coleman.
Contralto solo.............................
Miss Kate O'Neil
Recitation.............................
Mr. Raymond Whitaker.
Vocal solo.............................
Mr. W. Claire Wilson.
Recitation.............................
Mr. Osborne
Vocal duet.............................
Misses Louise and Kate O'Neil.
Recitation.............................
Mr. Ed McManus.
Piano solo.............................
Miss S. Flanagan.

The entertainment was in every way a great success and the ladies wish to thank the talent and all their friends who helped to make it so.

LOGAN—BOEHMER.

The wedding of Miss Emma Boehmer youngest daughter of Freitz Boehmer of Alameda, and Chas. W. Logan of Oakland was celebrated at the home of the bride's parents, 2319 Central avenue, Alameda, last Saturday evening. Rev. G. R. Dodson of the First Unitarian church officiated.

Miss Alma Boehmer, sister of the bride, was bridesmaid, and the Misses Lulu and Alma Ernst acted as maids of honor. Frank Lyons of Oakland acted as best man.

A wedding supper, served under the personal direction of Mrs. F. Mandler, followed, and the health and happiness of the newly-joined couple was frequently toasted. The couple left on a late train for San Francisco, and will make their future home in this city.

Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Boehmer, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Ernst, Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Hilderbrand, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sheldon, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Miller, Mrs. Johanna Ernst, Mrs. Fleishman, Mrs. Hessler, Rev. G. R. Dodson, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Graff, Miss Lulu Sevening, Miss Alma Ernst, Frank Lyon, A. P. Sikrvaic, J. E. Barber, Eddie Ehrenpfort, Mr. Lamkin, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sevening, Miss Lulu Ernst, Miss Alma Sevening.

A SILVER WEDDING.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Smith celebrated their silver wedding Tuesday at their home, 1020 Oak street.

A number of their friends were invited to a banquet in honor of the event. The guests were seated at 3 o'clock, exactly the same hour Mr. and Mrs. Smith were married in 1871.

Among those present were: Dr. and Mrs. Henderson, Miss Ella Henderson, Mrs. Schetter, Prof. E. S. Richardson, Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell, Y. Egger, and wife, Miss B. V. Shaw, Miss Alice Braly, Jules Brady, Will Brady, H. McKean, Miss Ella McKean, Dr. Goldson, W. G. Goldson, Dr. Ward, Miss Jeanne Ward, Edith Wood, W. Judson, F. Spencer, Mrs. Gray, Williams, Mrs. Gertie Harrison, Master A. Drucker, Austin Smith, Miss H. A. Smith and Mrs. M. Monteith.

THE MURRAY THEATRICALS.

A very charming evening was that given by Miss Murray at her father's residence on Kittridge street, Berkeley, last Friday. A three-act comedy entitled "The New Woman," was well presented. A pretty stage with curtain and accessories was built in the drawing room, and an admirable cast of characters interpreted the play to the entire satisfaction of the large number of guests present. The participants were Misses Murray, Wilson, Farnsworth and Gomperiz, Messrs. Housman and Murdock. After the drama a delicious supper was served.

THE PHIL SHERIDAN CONCERT

A treat is in store for those who attend the concert to be given by the Phil Sheridan Circle No. 5, Ladies of the G. A. R., on next Tuesday evening at Loring Hall, Eleventh and Clay streets. The Young Ladies' Quartette, composed of Miss Charlotte Gruenhagen of San Francisco, first violin; Miss Mabel Crabtree, of Oakland, second violin; Miss May Barrington, of Oakland, viola and contralto; Miss Annie Barrington, 'cello; Miss Pearl Noble of Alameda, cornet and soprano, and Miss Maud Noble, trombone, all members of the Saturday Morning Orchestra of San Francisco, will entertain.

THE CURRIER CARD PARTY.

A pleasant informal card party was given by Miss Hattie Currier of Snell seminary at 961 Jackson street Thursday evening. The guests were mostly college students, the boys being from one of the Berkeley fraternities. Euchre furnished amusement for the evening, light refreshments being served after the game.

Those present were Miss Blankart, Miss Augustus Kent, Miss Marguerite Thornton, of Stockton, Mrs. Grace Hampton; Messrs. Elma Rowell, A. Warner, and W. Creed.

FORESTERS SMOKE

Court Grant, Ancient Order of Foresters, held an enjoyable smoke Wednesday evening at Odd Fellows' Hall East Oakland. Members of the order with their friends gathered to spend the evening in social enjoyment over the pipe. It was one of the most pleasant events in the history of the organization.

After a short musical and literary programme, pipes and tobacco were passed around while dainty light refreshments were abundantly dispensed.

Addresses were made by Chief Ranger Andrew McElhatton, Sub-Ranger Norman Greathead, J. W. White, E. Olnel and others.

THE TAYLOR SURPRISE.

The friends of Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Taylor tendered them a surprise last Wednesday evening, in honor of their seventeenth anniversary of their wedding. During the evening Mr. and Mrs. Taylor received several handsome gifts, including a costly clock. The latter was accompanied by a neat letter of presentation.

THE RUST PARTY.

W. B. Rust, son of the late Capt. E. C. Rust, entertained a number of his schoolmates this week at his home in Berkeley. The house was prettily decorated and the evening passed enjoyably.

Among those present were Mabel Gerrine, Mabel Edwards, Edith Bruns, Toney Cooper, Emma Hahn, Clara Boynton, Alice Zenger, Hattie Martin, Sarah Matthews, Willie Cavalier, Elmer Nelson, Ross Cooper, Bernard Smith, Bob Finn, Louis Pape, Archie Taber, Charles Sleeper, Wendell Farrar, Harold Platt, Winfield Mathews, Willie Mathews and Willie B. Rust.

GASTON—ORMOND.

The wedding of Walter Garton and Miss Maggie Ormond took place at the home of the bride's parents in Temescal on Wednesday evening. After the wedding the immediate friends of the contracting parties partook of a wedding supper. After a visit to Santa Cruz Mr. and Mrs. Garton will reside in Oakland.

CHAT OF THE CHURCHES.

Arrangements and Notices for the Usual Sunday Services.

Well Chosen Texts Will Be Treated in the Local Pulpits.

First Methodist Episcopal Church—The pastor, Dr. Kummer, will occupy his pulpit both morning and evening. In the morning, at 11 o'clock, he will preach on "The Humiliation of Christ;" in the evening he will conclude his series on "Popular Amusements" by answering a large number of interesting questions which have been submitted to him by members of his congregation.

St. Andrew's Episcopal Church—Ninth and Cypress. Divine service at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Sermons by Rev. J. Hulme. The Holy Communion will be celebrated at 7:45 A. M. Evening prayer at 4 P. M. on Tuesdays and Thursdays, at 10:30 A. M. on Wednesdays, and on Fridays at 7:30 P. M. during Lent.

Eighth Avenue M. E. Church—S. J. Carroll, pastor. Preaching by the pastor at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Subjects, morning, "How the Crimson May Become White;" evening, "Why So Many Recent Church Troubles?" Epworth League at 6:30.

Zion's German Evangelical Lutheran Church—Services at 10:45 A. M. The pastor, Rev. J. H. Theiss, will preach. Subject, "Temptations;" services in the Lorin Hall at 3 P. M.

First Free Baptist Church—On Twenty-first street, between San Pablo Avenue and Brush street. Services at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. In the morning the pastor, Rev. Philip Graif, will preach on the "Americanism and Greatness of Washington," and in the evening the Sunday school, under the direction of Prof. S. P. Meads, will give a concert in commemoration of Washington and Lincoln, consisting of music, addresses and recitations appropriate to the occasion. Everybody cordially invited.

Pilgrim Congregational Church—Rev. M. Willett, pastor. Subject in the morning, "An Exhortation for the Nerveless and Weak-kneed" and in the evening, "George Washington."

First English Lutheran Church—Corner Grove and Sixteenth. Rev. J. E. Bushnell, D. D., pastor. Missionary service at 11 A. M. conducted by Supt. P. M. Fisher. The pastor will preach at 7:30 on the gospel for the first Sunday in Lent; subject, "Temptation of Christ." There will be an election and installation of an elder at the morning service.

The Young Men's Rally at the Young Men's Christian Association hall, Twelfth and Clay streets, tomorrow afternoon at half-past 3 o'clock will be of special interest. The Hus Family Orchestra will assist in the song service and will render several special selections. Miss Pearl Noble will be present as usual and render valuable assistance with the cornet. The address will be given by Mr. M. M. Meyers of Portland, Oregon, on the subject "What a Blind Man Saw." An invitation is extended to all men to attend.

Thirty-Fourth Street Methodist Church—The pastor, Rev. G. R. Jones, will preach both morning and evening. Subjects, "The Good Shepard," "The Two Ways." Epworth League at 6:45 P. M.

Prospect Hill Presbyterian Church, Fruitvale—Rev. E. E. Clark, pastor. Services 11 A. M. and 7:15 P. M. Subject of morning sermon, "Christian Contentment;" subject of evening sermon, "Religion and Patriotism."

Tenth Avenue Baptist Church—Rev. C. M. Hill pastor. 11.00 subject, "The Character of Washington;" 7:30, A. C. E.; evening address by the pastor, "Soul-Winning at Home" by Mrs.

Bishop J. W. Hott, D. D. a distinguished divine and platform speaker from the East will lecture on "Tent Life in Palestine" at the Market Street Congregational Church on Friday evening, February 28.

Market Street Congregational Church, corner Market and Eighteenth streets, Rev. E. S. Chapman D. D., the pastor will preach tomorrow morning and evening, and teach a Bible class at 1 P. M. Subjects at 11 A. M. "The Lord's Love for Our Home and Family Life;" at 7.30 P. M., "What the Lord Loves More Than Our Home and Family Life."

At the Church of the Advent, Episcopal, East Oakland, Rev. V. Marshall Law, rector, there will be morning prayer at 11, and sermon by the rector on "In the Wilderness;" in the evening at 7:30 shortened service and sermon on "Casting Lots." Early celebration at 8 o'clock and Sunday school at 9:30.

Central Christian Church; morning service 10:30. Sunday school 12 M. Christian Endeavor 6:15 P. M.; Edwards Davis will preach on "Correct Belief not the Essential of Salvation, but Grace by Obedience to Faith."

At the First Presbyterian Church Dr. Coyle will preach at 11 A. M. on "The Banner of the Blue," and at 7:30 P. M. on "Find a Way to Make One." All welcome.

Preaching at Universalist Church both morning and evening. Rev. John Hughes will preach in the morning and Rev. Kate Hughes in the evening.

First Christian Church, corner of Thirteenth and Market streets. James Small pastor. Morning theme, "A Great Doo." Evening, "The relation of the Catholic Church to the Bible and the Public Schools." Rousing singing, sweet solos, and free seats. Rev. John Hughes of Table Grove, Illinois, the noted orator and lecturer in the Universalist Church, will fill the pulpit on Sunday morning, March 1st.

Brown, formerly of Swatow, China, on "Soul-Winning Away From Home."

First Baptist Church—Rev. C. H. Hobart, pastor of the First Baptist Church will speak tomorrow at 10:30 and 7.30 upon the following themes: Morning, "A Sure Refuge;" evening, "Sowing and Reaping."

Centennial Presbyterian Church—Dr. Ellis will occupy his pulpit at the Centennial Presbyterian Church morning and evening. Morning subject, "The Sifting of Peter." Evening, "Papal Rome According to Daniel."

First Unitarian Church—Rev. C. M. Wendte will preach at 11 A. M. Topic, "The Church of the Early Christians," at 7:30 o'clock, sixth and last musical lecture, topic, "A Review of all the Great Church Composers." Illustrative music by Mrs. J. M. Pierce and chorus choir and a string quartette.

St. John's Church—Grove street, near Eighth. Rev. F. J. Mynard, rector, Rev. Benjamin Akerly, D. D., rector Emeritus. Services 7:45 and 11 A. M. and 7.30 P. M. The Rt. Rev. P. T. Rowe, D. D., the newly elected Bishop of Alaska, will preach in the evening.

Chester Street M. E. Church—Geo. Beatty, pastor of Chester Street M. E. Church, will preach morning and evening; 11 A. M. Mark 11:24; 7:30 P. M., "I Am the Lord that Healeth Thee."

Theosophical Society—Lecture by Dr. Annie J. Patterson; subject, "What Is Life," at the Theosophical library, Hamilton Hall, at 8 P. M.

QUERY-BOX AT THE FIRST METHODIST CHURCH.

Among the questions to be answered by Dr. Kummer tomorrow night are the following:

Would you place the use of tobacco among amusements, and can a Christian smoke or chew?

Is there a personal devil?

Has God a foreknowledge of everything that ever has been and that ever will be?

Could not the theater be reformed if good people would patronize it?

Would not the dance be all right if it were opened with prayer?

Should a man with a wife and four children, and whose salary is but $30 a month give 10 per cent of his income to support a pastor whose salary is $3000?

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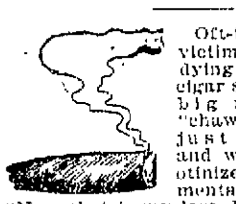

Oft-times tobacco's victims look at the dying spark in the cigar stump, or at the big masticated "chaw" of tobacco just expectorated, and with nerves nicotinized with tobacco, mentally resolve, "Now that is my last. I will never use it again. I know that it is injuring me physically and financially, and my nerves are becoming so irritated that I can't stand the least annoyance." What is the result? These good resolutions are generally made while the effect of the use of tobacco practically paralyzes the cravings of millions of irritated nerve centers and just as soon as the effects commence to pass away these good resolutions weaken, showing conclusively that the use of tobacco is not a habit but a disease of the nervous system caused by the education of the nerves to crave for nicotine poisoning. What then is the easy, permanent, natural way to relieve yourself of the use of tobacco? Certainly not by discontinuing it and suffering the nervous reaction and prostrating effects and mental degeneracy sure to follow the long and continued use of tobacco. Does it not suggest itself to you that the natural thing to do is to take a remedy that is specifically prepared to eradicate the effects of the nicotine in the system and to overcome the nerve craving effects, and restore the tobacco irritated nerves to a normal and healthy condition? To this, we all say, "Yes, where is the remedy?" You will find it in No-To-Bac. This is easily said and we all naturally ask for proof. Certainly. If No-To-Bac fails to cure The Sterling Remedy Company, of New York, Montreal and Chicago, have so much faith in their remedy that they positively guarantee to refund the money, and the concern being owned and operated by some of the most reputable business men in the East and West, is absolutely reliable, and, we are glad to say, able in every way to live up to its guarantee.

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REGISTRATION!

Office of the County Clerk,
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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT at a regular meeting of the Board of Supervisors of Alameda County, State of California, held on the 13th day of January, 1896, it was ordered that the Clerk of said County make a new and

COMPLETE REGISTRATION

of the voters of said County, in accordance with the provisions of Section 1094 of the Political Code of the State of California, that said registration commence on the 17th day of February 1896, and continue until 85 days before the next General Election, to wit., to and including August 9th, 1896, when such registration will cease.

Now, therefore, this is to give notice, that in pursuance of said order, said new registration will commence on the 17th day of February, 1896, and continue to and including August 9th, 1896, when such registration will cease.

Further notice is hereby given that affidavits for registration may be sworn to before any Deputy County Clerk in the different towns and precincts of the County, or any Deputy County Assessor without charge. Affidavits can also be sworn to before any Justice of the Peace or Notary Public. All naturalized citizens who have not been registered before must present papers when applying for registration.

The office of the County Clerk at the Hall of Records, Oakland, Cal., will be open from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. and from 7 p. m. to 9 p. m. for the accommodation of voters. All citizens are notified to apply for registration at once.

Notice is given that after the filing of affidavits, and when names are entered on the Great Register postal cards will be sent to each citizen of the date of such entry. If postal is not received voters should nevertheless at once for his own protection the reason why.

Feb. 17, 1896.

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The immense sale of tickets for the Paderewski recital indicates that every seat in the Macdonough will be occupied this evening. Those should apply at once for the few odd seats remaining, as the sale is brisk and it is likely that standing room will be in request to-night. The excellence of the programme has attracted many musicians.

The following programme will be presented:

Sonata, C major, op. 53.....Beethoven
Impromptu B flat major, op. 142
No 3.....Schubert
Capriccio,.....Paganini-Schumann
Fantasie, "Midsummer Night's Dream"
.....Mendelssohn-Liszt.
Nocturne, G major, op. 37, No 2,
.....Chopin
Mazurka, B minor, op. 33, No. 4
.....Chopin
Etudes, F major, No. 3, G flat, No. 9, op. 25.....Chopin
Berceuse.....Chopin
Valse, A flat, major, op. 34.....Chopin
Nocturne, Minuet,.....Paderewski
Etude de Concert, Rhapsodie Hongroise No. 2.....Liszt

TAVARY OPERA COMPANY.

Prominent among the celebrated artists comprising the Tavary Opera Company, which will appear at the Macdonough next week, is the world-renowned tenor of the Mme. Patti concert tours of America, Chevalier Albert L. Guille. Guille was born in Avignon, France, in 1856, and studied with the great tenor, Andraro, father of the famous composer of the "The Mascotte," and "Olivette." He has had a most remarkable and interesting career, one that would read like a romance more than a history of real life. Guille has sung in all the leading theatres of Europe, including those of the Russian Empire, with all the greatest artists of the age. For six seasons he was with Patti.

Marie Tavary, the leading prima donna soprano of the company, is also an artist of international renown. She possesses a voice of great volume and beauty of tone, and her interpretations are most artistic. The company is strong and equipped with every accessory for the perfect production of grand opera.

Mme. Theo Dorge, who will appear in the title role of "Carmen," with which the company opens next Wednesday evening, has achieved her greatest success in this part, and her impersonation of the Cigarette Girl is said to be unsurpassed. "Trovatore" will be given Thursday night, and "Bohemian Girl" for the special matinee, Thursday afternoon.

The sale of seats will begin next Monday at 9 a. m. The demand for tickets is large and many will avail themselves of this opportunity to hear fine renderings of grand opera at small cost. Prices will be reduced for the Thursday matinee, when seats on the lower floor will be sold at 75c and $1; lower floor will be sold at 75 cents, and 25 cents.

THE OAKLAND

The closing performances of Cinderella are packing the Oakland Theatre to overflowing and several hundred were turned away at the matinee this afternoon. The piece is running on smoothly, and the several specialties are well received. The center of attraction is Lady Douglas. The trained cockatoos came in for special attention and the refined and highly artistic efforts of the renowned Jordan sisters in songs and dances are repeatedly encored.

Commencing Monday, Feb. 24th, the roaring rollicking clean farce comedy Our Bachelors will be produced by a picked stock company composed of old favorites, among them Paul Craig and M. J. Hooley. The play is a bright and laughable affair that will delight and amuse large audiences during the week. Several specialties will be rendered, among them clever vocal renditions by Miss Violet Sheridon, late soprano with the Henry Grand Concert Company and a double waltz clog by M. J. Hooley and Miss Jennie Kelton Gurrin.

The F. W. Bacon Company, late of Corinne's Theatre, Portland, will open at the Oakland Theatre March 2nd in the original production of Bottom of the Sea.

THE BALDWIN.

Dr. Frick Ward will commence a season of legitimate plays at the Baldwin next Monday. That Mr. Ward will prove a drawing card goes without saying. The repertoire will be as follows: Monday, Tuesday, Friday nights and Saturday matinee, The Mountebank; Wednesday and Thursday nights, The Lion's Mouth, Saturday night, Virginius.

THE CALIFORNIA

Nellie McHenry is the attraction for next week at the California. The success of this jolly actress is due to her painstaking methods. She has many new bits and is as popular as ever.

THE COLUMBIA.

During the past week the peerless little comedienne, Katie Putnam, with her own company of players, has been packing the Columbia at every performance. Both the star and the play, "Mazeppa, or at the Old Lime Kiln," have made a pronounced hit. Miss Putnam displays peculiar histrionic gifts of her own, even in advance of those of the great Lotta and Little Nell, still remembered as the "California Diamond." Miss Putnam's engagement will continue all next week.

THE ORPHEUM.

Manager Walter has excelled himself in the bill he has offered patrons of the Orpheum this week. The list of attractions makes a programme that has never been equalled in the history of that popular place of amusement. The attendance has been beyond the capacity of the house every night this week.

MOROSCO'S

"The Pulse of New York" a stirring drama of life in the great metropolis, is billed for next week at Morosco's. The cast includes a wonderful presentation of six different characters by Florence Thropp. There are several very sensational scenes. The railroad and East River and fire scenes will be exceptionally fine pieces of stage mechanism.

THE TIVOLI.

"Der Fliedermutz" has been presented to large audiences this week at the Tivoli. A more elaborate production of opera has never been given at the house.

THE ALCAZAR.

The Carlton Opera Company in an elaborate repertoire of popular operas will be the attraction at the Alcazar next week. The opportunity to hear this fine company at popular prices is the first ever given in San Francisco.

We have closed out twenty more mouldings this week. Don't wait until the stock is all gone before bringing in your pictures. 25 per cent discount, you know Chas. B. Wells, 1110 Broadway.

Each member of the local Christian Endeavor Society at Springsport, Mich., pledged herself to turn into the treasury a dollar earned by herself, and Mrs. Jennie Clay earned hers in a unique way. Two tramps called at her house and demanded food and lodging. She went into her room, got her husband's revolver and ordered the tramps to throw up their hands, which they did. She then commanded them to march, and started them for the village lock-up, where they were caged for the night. In the morning they were registered and allowed to depart, Mrs. Clay giving them breakfast. She then presented a bill to the village council. "To arresting two tramps, 50 cents each, $1," and that body, after a good deal of humorous debate, allowed the bill.

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Potent Results Obtained by the Tests at the 'Varsity.

BERKELEY, Feb. 22.—A new industry for California has been discovered at the State University. Experiments have recently been conducted in the College of Agriculture which demonstrate the possibility of manufacturing perfume from the flowers growing in Southern California. The experiments were qualitative and were made to determine the fragrancy and percent of fragrance in the blossoms. It was found that it was sufficient to warrant the manufacture of perfume in Southern California and a gentleman from Riverside is much interested in the venture. He has been at work for some time on the experiments and made tests with nearly all the plants common about Riverside. Some of those experiments are with tube roses, orange blossoms, lemon blossoms, eucalyptus and buckwheats. The results were so encouraging that the manufacturing of perfume will probably be numbered among California industries soon.

A BOARD OF ARBITRATION

A meeting of the Student Body of the University of California was held yesterday afternoon in Stiles Hall. President Kellogg presided. The meeting was held in response to an appeal from leading citizens of Chicago and New York calling for assemblages all over the United States on Washington's birthday to consider the following questions:

1. Do we wish the governments of the United States and Great Britain by formal treaty to establish arbitration as the method of concluding all differences which may fail of settlement by diplomacy between the two powers?

2. What is our opinion of war as a mode of deciding controversies between the United States and Great Britain?

The questions were discussed by the faculty members present and students jointly. Among the students who spoke were William Nat. Friend, Harry H. Hirst and Cleve Dam. Professors Jones, Bacon and Gayley discussed the questions for the faculty. Quite a little stir was created by Professor Gayley when he came forward. The classes had all been dismissed to enable all students to attend the meeting. This didn't suit the professor. He thought it a "kindergarten method" and prefaced his remark with a little invective against it. "The matter was important enough," he said, "to warrant the faculty's setting aside an evening for its consideration." After the discussion the following resolutions were adopted:

"Whereas, It is desirable in the cause of civilization and the interests of humanity that the percentage of international differences that lead to war should be reduced to a minimum through the application of the principle of arbitration, and

"Whereas, the common interest of the United States and Great Britain and the common character and purpose of their political institutions suggest the eminent desirability as well as the feasibility of the adoption of some permanent method for the amicable settlement of the many disputes in which their governments may be directly or indirectly concerned, therefore

"Resolved, that the faculties and students of the University of California in a joint meeting, this 21st day of February, 1896, gladly add their voice in favor of the movement for the arbitration between the movement for the arbitration of international questions especially between the United States and Great Britain, and

"Resolved, that these resolutions be sent to the President of the United States, the Secretary of State, the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives; also the Senators and Representatives of this State in Congress, urging them to take the necessary steps to initiate this great reform."

CATHODE RAYS.

Experiments have for the last few days been carried on in the University of California with the Cathode Rays discovered by Prof. Roentgen. Success did not come until yesterday. Those who conducted the experiments were Professors Cory, Slate and Messrs. Drew, Cottrell and Le Conte Jr. The negative obtained finally was underexposed but shows clear shadows of an iron and platinum spatula, a copper coil and a coin.

HERE AND THERE.

The Sophomore class met yesterday. Baker and Meade were nominated for "Blue and Gold" manager and Chickering, Dickey and Rector for editor. The election will be held Tuesday from 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.

The Eighteenth anniversary of Berkeley Lodge I. O. O. F., was celebrated Thursday evening. The veteran Odd Fellows were the guests of honor.

The Sophomore "co-eds" appeared yesterday in mortar boards. The custom has been dying out and they decided to revive it.

DOUBLE LOSS OF CONFIDENCE.

His Dog a Poorer Fighter and He a Worse Judge of Dogs Than He Thought.

From the Detroit Free Press.

One day as we lay in camp on the Republican fork of the Arkansaw river one of the boys caught a big jackrabbit in a snare and made a cage of willows to keep him as a pet. Three days later a tenderfoot came along with a hunter's outfit, and accompanied by a canine which looked to be a cross between a hound and a bull-dog. He said he had bought the dog the day before from a teamster, and that the animal was a match for any three mountain wolves.

"What d'ye think of him yourself?" asked the corporal.

"He looks to me like a fighter," was the reply.

"How much did you pay for him?"

"Fifteen dollars."

"I don't think he's a fighter," observed the Corporal in a careless way. "He looks to me more like a runner."

"Have you anything which can run him?" asked the tenderfoot, as he bristled up.

"Yes, I think I have. We captured a hodon the other day, and I think he can run that dog."

"What is a hodog?"

"Sort of a prairie wolf. There isn't much fight in them, but there's less in your canine. I'll bet $5 he runs your dog out of sight."

"If he does I'll give you $10," shouted the stranger, who was nettled over the way the boys were winking and grinning.

The dog was placed on the level outside the camp, and the Corporal went after his rabbit. Before bringing him out he tied his ears over his head with a strip torn from a red handkerchief, and other strips were made fast to his body. He was the oddest looking creature anybody ever saw outside of a museum when the Corporal finally dumped him out in front of the dog. We were gathered in two lines and the rabbit had to run for the dog to get clear of us. The dog was apparently ready for a row with one of his own species, but when that living curiosity came for him, he dropped his tail and started off at full speed. The jack probably took him for an old pard of his, for he followed close at his heels and humped him for all he was worth. The dog made two complete circuits of the camp, yelping at every jump, and then finding the rabbit close at his heels he jumped into the river, swam across and thus got away. The stranger looked on without a word, and when the affair was over he handed down a $20 bill.

"How's this?" asked the Corporal.

"Why," said the man, "one ten is for my dog being a blanked coward, and the other for me being a blanked fool."

Art of Going to Bed.

From the Boston Traveller.

There is a ridiculous fellow over in London who is trying to convince people that nobody understands the art of going to bed. This may be true in England, where they say people can't keep clean without "tubbing" five times a day, but it isn't true in this country, where it would be voted by a very large majority that the art which is not understood is that of "getting up."

FISHING FOR 'GATORS.

A Wooden Leg That Brings Its Owner a Good Income.

Alligators are becoming rather scarce in Florida, but a few men still make a good living hunting them, their hides meeting with ready sale.

One of the largest concerns in Jacksonville, engaged in dealing in alligator hides, had a customer upon their books named Tom Tucker, who brings in more hides than any other three men in the State. It was known that the saurians came from Dunn's Creek, a tributary of the St. John's, but beyond this fact nothing could be learned concerning his methods of capturing the reptiles until a few days ago, when a buyer of the firm visited Dunn's Creek and espied Tucker lying at full length on a log, one end of which was in the creek. Tucker had a leg thrown into the water, and just as the buyer approached he saw the alligator hunter scramble up the bank, while a huge saurian beat the muddy water into a foam. As the man reached the bank the alligator came, too, having swallowed a portion of the leg that had hung over the log into the water.

Tucker took a long, sharp knife and soon killed the creature, then he unscrewed the leg and took it off to remove the 'gator. Then his scheme became apparent. He has a wooden leg, and through it are driven large steel spikes. He leaves the leg in the water and it is swallowed by the alligator. As the reptile closes his jaws the steel impales him, and it is impossible for him to escape.

A Warsaw lady recently engaged a quiet respectable-looking girl of 16 to look after her eighteen-month-old baby. As soon as he saw the nurse the child was frightened into convulsions; the girl was asked to go into another room, where the master of the house was entertaining half a dozen guests. On her entering the room a standard lamp on the table blazed up to the ceiling, three large oil paintings fell down from the wall, and a large barometer flew across the room and was smashed. The girl was not alarmed and admitted that such accidents happened frequently when she was present. She is a pale, slight girl, who suffers from insomnia. Dr. Ochorowicz, the psychologist, is investigating the case.

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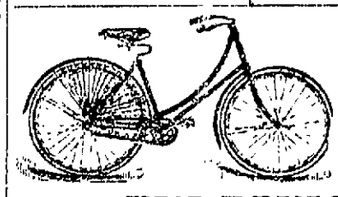

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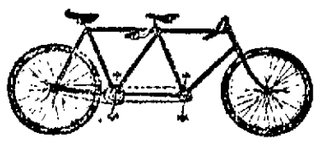

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